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In all the above shades at 25c. per bottle.
Get your Dye while our range of colors is complete.

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"Your Druggist"
Phone 78

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When bad roads and preparing for spring work prevent coming to town

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Our stock is so complete that we nearly always have just what your order calls for.

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We have just received an up-to-date assortment of caps from the "Canadian Cap Company, Toronto" also the popular "Eastern Cap" Brand, latest Seattle Blocks.

Selling Now 50c. to \$1.00
Under City Prices.

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Extremely high class, and well bred Clydesdale Stallion, rising 4 years old. The makings of a ton horse, unbeatable action. For sale right for cash, (or part cash and terms) to responsible party, or will trade for land. 1st Class Government Certificate. P. H. Winter. Also 3 younger stallions for sale right.

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McLeod's



Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Waists and Underskirts

Never before has the serge and jersey dress appeared in such beautiful quality and exquisite designs. Variety is much greater than usual, and gowns that are suited to all figures are to be found in our stock.

Serge and Tricotine Suits of Navy Blue

Are the favored above all others. The quality of the materials are sure to satisfy, and the many attractive models are greatly admired. Prices from

\$37.50 to \$60.00

Becoming Styles in Skirts

Fine wool skirtings in plaid have been used to good advantage in making these new skirts. Others of Jersey cloth are receiving the admiration of many women.

We Are Receiving Frequent Shipments of Spring Coats

Every few days new styles in spring coats are received by express. There are many interesting details in the spring coats; little novelties of cut or trimming have been worked into these latest models to give them that look of something different. They are priced at

\$35.00 to \$55.00

New Felt Hats for Men

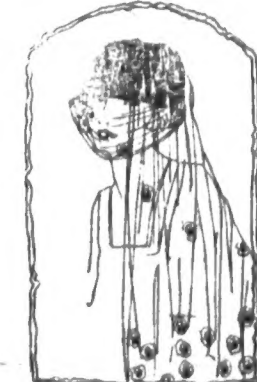
The new hats have a snap and good style that men like. In shades of green, brown, grey, navy and black.

The Material for Your New Curtains Should be Selected Now

While the stocks are complete. If your windows are dressed well they add tone to the whole house. The artistic color schemes in shadow, terry, marquisette and cretonne, should make it easy to choose draperies best suited to your home.

Hosiery for Spring—Plenty to Choose From Here

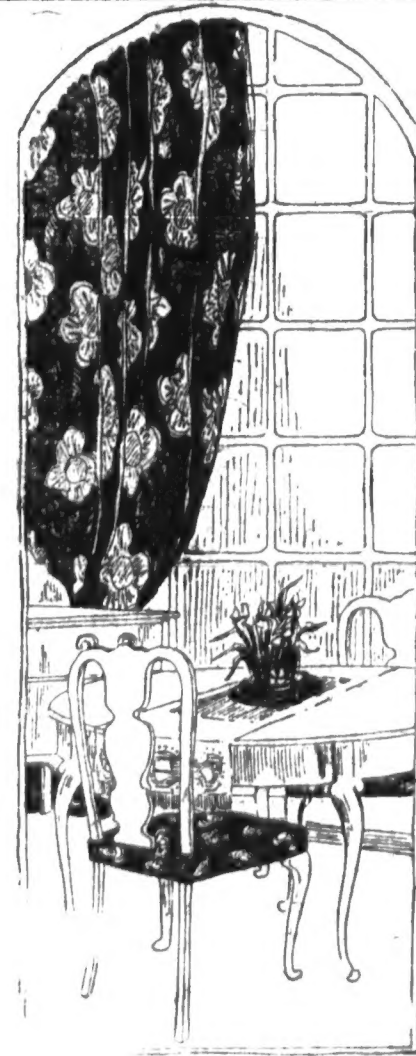
Strong hose for boys and girls, per pair 60c.
They are made to stand the strain of hard knocks of healthy children. All sizes.
Brown hose, ribbed, for girls, per pair 65c.
They are just the correct shade to match the brown shoes and are of splendid quality.
Women's dark brown hose 50c.
A fine uniform thread with spliced feet, where the wear comes



Dame Fashion's Smartest

Hats for Spring

Creations of the foremost designers are represented among our hats. Your particular style is here.



NEWS FROM THE GROCERY

Fresh vegetables received every week.

Head Lettuce of finest quality 20c. and 25c.
Ripe Tomatoes per lb. 30c.
Cauliflower each 25c. to 30c.
New Cabbage, Celery, carrots, Parsnips and Potatoes.

Okanagan Apples, the variety you like best. Large

crisp, juicy, delicious dessert apples.
Good Cooking Apples per box \$3.00
California Navel Oranges are now at their best. Extra large, sweet and juicy, per doz \$1.00

NURSES ADVISE

Sam-Buk, because they have proved that it does what is claimed for it. Miss R. L. Dorey, registered nurse, of 1239 Michigan Ave., Chicago, says: "I have a patient who suffered terribly with piles. Sam-Buk is the only remedy that gave her relief."

"I have used Sam-Buk myself for the same ailment, also for hemorrhoids, and have the greatest confidence in it."

Tain-Buk

THE COW PUNCHER

ROBERT J. C. STREAD

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(Continued.)

"He is well now, Charlie," he said, as steadily as he could. "It is all holiday now for him."

The match had burnt out, and the room was in utter darkness. Dave heard the child drawing his feet slowly across the floor, then suddenly whimpering like a thing that had been mortally hurt. He groped toward him, and at length his fingers found his shock of hair. He drew the boy slowly into his arms, then very, very tight.

After all, they were orphans together. "You will come with me," he said, at length. "I will see that you are provided for. The doctor will soon be here, or we will meet him on the way—and he will make arrangements for the arrangements that have to be made, you know."

They retraced their steps toward the town, meeting the doctor at the broken bridge. Dave exchanged a few words with him in low tones, and they passed on. Soon they were swinging again through the city streets, this time through the busy thoroughfares, which were almost blocked with tense, excited crowds about the bulletin boards. Even with the developments of the evening pressing heavily upon him, Dave could not resist the temptation to stop and listen for a moment to bulletins being read through a megaphone.

"The Kaiser has stripped off his British regalia," said the announcer. "He says he will never again wear a British uniform."

A chuckle of derisive laughter ran through the mob; then someone struck up a well-known refrain. "What the hell do we care?" Up and down the street voices caught up the chorus. Within a year the bones of many in that thoughtless crowd, bleaching on the fields of Flanders, showed how much they cared.

Dave literally pressed his machine through the throng, which opened slowly to let it pass, and immediately filled up the wake behind him. He drove direct to the Hardy home.

After some delay Irene met him at the door, and Dave explained the situation in a few words. "We must take care of him, Reenie," he said. "I feel a personal responsibility."

"Of course we will take him," she answered. "He will live here until we have a home place of our own." Her face was bright with something which must be tenderness. "Bring him upstairs. We will allot him a room, and introduce him, first, to the bathroom. And tomorrow we shall have an excursion down town, and some new clothes for Charlie—Elden."

As they moved up the stairs toward the room, which had been in another room in conversation with Mrs. Hardy, followed them up. The evening had been interminable for Conward. For three hours he had waited word that his victim had been trapped, and for three hours no word had come. He had smoked numberless cigarettes and nibbled impatiently at his nails, and tried to appear at ease before Mrs. Hardy. If his plans had miscarried, if Dave had discovered the plot; well—And here at length Dave, engrossed in a very different matter, Conward followed them up the stairs.

Irene and Dave chatted with the boy for a few moments, trying to make him feel at home in his strange surroundings; then Irene turned to some arrangements for his comfort, and Dave started down the stairs. In the passage he was met by Conward. Conward seemed at last to have dropped the mask; he leered insolently, triumphantly, in Dave's face.

"What are you doing here? Dave demanded, as he felt his head wince in anger. Conward leered only the more offensively, and walked down the stairs beside him. At the foot he coolly lit another cigarette. If he was conscious of the hate in Dave's eyes he hid his emotions under a mask of insolence. He held the match before him and calmly watched it burn out. Then he extended it toward Dave. "You remember our wager, Elden. I present you with—a burnt-out match."

"You liar!" cried Dave. "You infamous liar!" "Ask her," Conward replied. "She will deny it, of course. All women do."

Dave felt his muscles tighten, and knew that in a moment he would tear his victim to pieces. As his clenched fist came to the side of his body it struck something hard. His revolver! He had forgotten; he was not in the habit of carrying it. In an instant he had Conward covered.

Dave did not press the trigger at once. He took a fierce delight in torturing the man who had wrecked his life—even while he told himself he

A Tribute to the Cow

A True Friend That Has Never Been Known to Falter

Little do we realize the debt we owe the cow. During the dark ages of savagery and barbarism we had her early ancestors natives of the wild forests of the old world. As the bright rays of civilization penetrated the darkness of that early period, and man called upon the cow, she came forth from her seclusion to share in the efforts that gave us a greater nation and more enlightened people!

For two thousand years she has shown her allegiance to man, sharing alike in his prosperity and adversity, responding nobly to all that was done for her, until through her development she became an idol of the people of her native country.

In 1493, when Columbus made his second voyage to America, the cow came with him, and from that time to the present day she has been a most potent factor in making this our own country, the greatest nation, with the highest type of womanhood and manhood history has ever known.

Her sons helped fill the soil of our ancestors and slowly moved the products of the farm to market. They went with man to the dense forests of the new world, helped clear them for homes and made cultivation possible for the coming generation, and when the tide of emigration turned westward they hauled the belongings of the pioneer across the sun-scorched plains and over the great mountain ranges to new homes beyond.

Truly, the cow is man's greatest benefactor. Hail, wind, droughts and floods may come, destroy our crops and banish our hopes, but from what is left the cow manufactures into the most nourishing and life-sustaining foods, and she is not foster mother and life itself to countless thousands of little children all over this world of ours. We love her for her docility, her beauty, and her usefulness. Her loyalty has never weakened, and should misfortune overtake us as we become bowed with the weight of years, we know that in the cow we have a friend that was never known to falter. She pays the debt. She saves the home. God bless the cow!

—E. G. Bennett, Missouri State Dairy Commissioner.

"That star up there is Orion." "So that is O'Ryan, is it?" "Yes, that's Orion."

"Well, thank goodness there's one Irishman in heaven."

Old Garments New When Diamond Dyed

Shabby, Faded, Old Apparel Turns Fresh and Colorful

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods, — dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers, draperies, coverings—everything.

The Direction Book with each package tells how to Diamond Dye over any color.

To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

Grand Duchess Found in Rags

Sister of Late Tsar Found Tossing Among Fellow Refugees

Grand Duchess Olga, sister of the late Tsar Nicholas of Russia, has been found by American Red Cross workers, living in a box car near Novorossysk, South Russia, it was announced at the headquarters of the American Red Cross in Washington. One of the surviving members of the house of Romanoff, the duchess was discovered toiling among fellow refugees from the territory recently conquered by the Bolsheviks, giving such assistance as she could, although herself clad in rags, and grateful for any food and clothing she could find.

Refugees have been pouring into Novorossysk by the thousands, all reduced to poverty. The South Russian committee of the American Red Cross has been caring for them to the limit of its resources, and it was in the midst of the work that the plight of the royal refugee was discovered.

Japanese Capture South African Trade

British Formerly Did A Business There Worth \$200,000 Per Year

In 1913, Japanese imports into British South Africa were valued at only \$261,691. By 1918 they had increased to \$12,979,985, and for 1919 were only slightly less. The Japanese have not only captured the German trade in the South Pacific Islands, but they have almost completely superseded the British, who formerly did a business there worth over \$200,000 per year.

A correspondent of the Scandinavian Shipping Gazette states that every article on sale in the Marshall Islands is of Japanese manufacture, ranging from needles to anchors, biscuits to sewing machines, jewelry to European wearing apparel, all adapted to please the native tastes. The British Chamber of Commerce in the Argentine Republic, in a report on textile trade competitions in that country, says the Japanese have also done a considerable business in plain dyed cottons.

Owing to their cheap labor it is generally considered that Japan will in the future be a serious competitor for the textile trade of that market.

A wife must not expect her husband to be light hearted if her biscuits are heavy.

JOY AND GLADNESS FOR THE CHILDREN

Every child—whether it be poor or rich, is entitled to joy and gladness. Health is the birthright of all and there is absolutely no doubt that the healthy baby is a happy baby. It is the baby's nature to be happy—not cross. Only the sickly baby is cross. The well child is a joy to the home. It is a laughing, gurgling, happy little piece of humanity which drives dull care from the household. The sickly baby is the opposite—He is cross and peevish; cries a great deal and is a source of constant worry to the mother. But mothers there is no need of your little ones being sickly. Regulate the baby's bowels and sweeten his stomach with a gentle but thorough laxative and baby will soon be well and happy again. Thousands of mothers have proved this through their use of Baby's Own Tablets—there is a smile in every dose of the Tablets. Give them to your baby and make him happy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Poultry Culling

Examples of the Service of the Federal Department of Agriculture

Poultry culling demonstrations that have been carried on by the federal Live Stock Branch have clearly proved that it is possible to take out from forty to sixty per cent. of the stock in the average farm flock and still leave the farmer with as many eggs today as he was getting before. The value of this knowledge to the farmers of Canada can hardly be overestimated.

An equally valuable service of the federal live stock branch is the grading of market wool. According to the report of the minister for the fiscal year ending 1918-19, approximately 4,550,000 pounds of wool were systematically graded and sold co-operatively.

These are only examples of the services of the federal Department of Agriculture, which has branches and divisions for the advancement of practically every phase of farming and gardening. This report, which is obtainable from the Publications Branch, Ottawa, covers concisely the work of the whole department for the twelve-month period.

Bolshevism in Practice

Most Remorseless Tyranny in the History of the World

In practice, Bolshevism has come to be the most remorseless tyranny in the history of the world. Freedom of speech has been suppressed; the press is more bound than ever it was in the darkest days of Czarism; and the citizens hold their lives more insecurely, more at the whim of fanatical doctrinaires than did the free, equal and fraternal citizens during the early days of the French Revolution.

Lenine pleads that his reign of terror is only a means to an end, that it is the prelude to a glorious era of tranquility and prosperity. That is delusion of the most dangerous kind. The reign of terror may wane. But it will only wane when the need is gone, and that will only be when the will to free criticism and expression has been killed by it in Russia. Tranquility in these circumstances is not peace but desolation.—The Times of India.

Egg Dealers to be Licensed

After June 1 this year, all egg dealers in Saskatchewan are to be licensed and after that date no eggs can be purchased by dealers until the eggs have been candled, and those unfit for use rejected. Most producers and dealers are in sympathy with the new act, which it is generally recognized will go far toward detecting carelessness or dishonesty in handling eggs, and will improve the quality of eggs consumed in the province as well as those for the export trade.

HEART SO BAD WAS NOT SAFE TO LEAVE HER ALONE

Miss Eva P. Vatem, Kronsberg, Ont., writes: "I feel that I must write and tell you of the benefit I have received from Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. About four years ago I was taken terribly bad with heart nerves and fainting spells, and was down in bed for about six months. I doctored with two different doctors and seemed to get better, although the fainting spells would not leave me. I would take such terrible falls, wherever I was, that it was not safe to leave me at home at any time. At last I decided to resort to proprietary medicines and took several different kinds, but seemed to receive but little benefit from them. One day noticing the advertisement of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I decided to try them, and before I had taken more than two boxes I could see they were helping me. I have taken about ten boxes, and am almost cured of those terrible spells. I sincerely feel that your medicine has proved a blessing to me, and I advise any one troubled with their heart to try them, as I am confident they will find relief."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50¢ a box at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Farm Values Increase

The Highest Price Prevails in British Columbia

The average value of farm lands for the Dominion, including improved and unimproved land, together with the value of buildings, dwellings and other farm buildings, is placed at \$52 an acre for the year 1919, according to the estimates of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. This is a substantial increase over valuations at \$46, last year; \$44 in 1917; \$41 in 1916, and \$38 in 1914. By provinces the value is highest in British Columbia, being \$178 an acre, as compared with Ontario's value of 66 per acre, and Quebec of \$72.

Wages paid to farm help have considerably increased during the year. For Canada as a whole the wages per month, during the summer, for males, inclusive of board, was \$78, and for females \$43 per month, as against \$70 and \$38 for the previous year. By the year wages for males average \$764, including board, as compared with \$617 for 1918, and for females \$465 against \$416 for the previous year.

HAIR SOON TOO SHORT TO DO UP

A Little "Danderine" Stops Your Hair Coming Out and Doubles Its Beauty

To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After several applications the hair usually stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff. Help your hair to grow strong, thick and long and become soft, glossy and twice as beautiful and abundant.

London's Memorial To Edith Cavell

Monument Carved Out of Solid Granite Is 40 Feet in Height

A London correspondent writes: In the middle of the roadway in St. Martin's Lane, a mere stone's throw from Trafalgar square, great iron girders, their lower part screened from view by a high palisading, have recently been erected, and on several occasions I have heard obvious Londoners inquiring the reason of their presence. It is a spot with which visitors from overseas are destined to become very familiar, for it is here that the great memorial to poor martyred Edith Cavell is to be erected. The monument, which is being carved out of solid granite, is to be forty feet in height. The figure of Nurse Cavell in marble. A woman with an infant, typifying humanity and the care of a great nation for the weaker nations, will decorate the summit of the memorial, while its base will bear in bas-relief, the British lion trampling the serpent of evil and malice underfoot. The designer of what should prove to be one of London's most imposing memorials, is Sir George Frampton, who is now putting the finishing touches to the work in his studio. The site is particularly well chosen, in that it is admirably situated for the convenience of many thousands of visitors who will annually make pilgrimage to it. St. Martin's Lane is practically the gateway to Theatreland of London, and the cosmopolitan quarter of the West End lies but a little distance away.

Gorky's Disappointment

Fruit Does Not Grow Where Thistles Have Always Grown Before

Maxim Gorky, according to a Finnish despatch, has just voiced his disappointment with the Bolsheviks. He is disabused; the revolution has not generated any observable spiritual progress; the run of men fail to become a whit more honest; and the new leaders equal the old in brutality. He neglected to consider that in revolution as in other self-manifestations, a people gives forth according to its nature. Fruit does not grow where thistles have always grown before. The two centuries of European culture in Russia left the intellectual world pretty much as she found it, and has failed herself to catch the principles of that culture she has assiduously studied.—New York Evening Sun.

Yellowstone park contains more geysers than all the rest of the known world.

Glass windows have been found in the ruins of Pompeii.

The ancients do not appear to have had any system of punctuation.

Program of School Exhibition Centres

Saskatchewan Department of Education is Encouraging Good Work

One of the aims of the Saskatchewan Department of Education during the past few years has been in the organization of school exhibitions by pupils, both in the cities and in the rural districts, throughout the province. In them are shown samples of work turned out by the children and the spirit of competition aroused is proving especially beneficial. Where boys and girls clubs are in existence club fairs are held in connection with the school exhibition.

Last year over two hundred exhibitions by schools were held and this year already shows a substantial advance over the number of centres organized in 1919; the Education Department set their objective for 1920 as 250 school exhibition centres.

It is the policy of the department of education to send at least one judge or speaker to each of the school exhibitions held, and, with very few exceptions, judges and speakers were provided for the exhibitions last year. These added very greatly to the interest and the value of these gatherings. In addition to this outside help, the school inspectors in whose territory the exhibition is held invariably attend, and it is largely due to their efforts that the movement has attained its present success.

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Put it on freely. Don't rub it in. Just let it penetrate naturally. What a sense of soothing relief soon follows!

External aches, stiffness, soreness, cramped muscles, strained sinews, back "cricks"—those ailments can't fight off the relieving qualities of Sloan's Liniment. Clean, convenient, economical. 35c, 70c, \$1.40. Made in Canada.

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Seed Peas in Alberta

Alberta Farmer Receives Contract From U. S. Seed House

As a result of a visit of the representative of a large United States seed company to Brooks and the surrounding district for the purpose of investigating the possibilities of growing seed peas on the irrigated lands of Southern Alberta, a contract has been placed with Henry Davis to grow fifty acres of peas on his farm at Rosemary, Alberta, this year.

The representative of the seed house was very well pleased with the soil and water conditions throughout the district. He visited many farmers in the neighborhood of Brooks, Duchess and Rosemary. If planted by farmers who understand irrigation, he is of the opinion that good paying crops of peas should be grown on the irrigated farms there.

Mr. Davis, with whom the contract for the planting of fifty acres of peas has been made, came to Alberta from Rigby, Idaho, where he had had some experience with the growing of seed peas. He knows how and when to use water to get the best results with this crop. His experiment will be watched with great interest, and if it turns out as successfully as there is reason to anticipate it will, the growing of seed peas should become general in the district.

In the irrigated areas of Idaho considerable areas of land are devoted to the growth of seed peas, which has proved a very profitable crop, and the handling of the seed is an important industry. Conditions near Brooks are said to be similar to those in Idaho, if not more favorable.

THE "Eastlake" Round Bed

THE "Eastlake" Round Bed is a popular, made of highest quality, heavy galvanized iron, the heavy tubing is firmly locked on and the strong angle iron braces are formed around the tubing. Side springs have double row of rivets. Bottom is turned up inside—the strongest construction known.

"Eastlake" Tunks are right in every way. All-steel, including, Hinge Tunks, Casters, Gasoline, Hot Tunks, Gasoline and Coal Oil Tunks, Water Tunks, Saw Makers, Feed Cans, etc., War Cabinet, Occupied Countries. Ask for folder on the Tunk you want.

Not A Blemish

On nothing, and the baby on nothing, make a perfect, gently rubbing in. Before the baby is born, rub the baby's skin with this cream. Permanent and temporary skin troubles are effectively concealed. Reduces unnatural color and corrects greasy skin. Highly antiseptic, used with beneficial results as a curative agent for 70 years.

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Business Psychology

A perpetually unshaven fellow who runs a newsstand near the winter garden was haled into court on a trivial charge. He pleaded his own case and was dismissed.

The magistrate was interested in his excellent address and his knowledge of the law. He explained that he had been admitted to the bar and was a graduate of a big eastern college.

"I could make \$2,500 a year with my law," he said, "and I make about \$12,000 a year selling newspapers. It may surprise you to see how unskilled I am, but it is business psychology. I dressed in good clothes people would not purchase from me."

A Dyspepsia Cure

M.D. advises: "Persons who suffer from severe indigestion and constipation can cure themselves by taking fifteen to thirty drops of Extract of Roots after each meal and at bedtime. This remedy is known as Mother's Relief Syrup in the drug trade." Get the genuine. 80c. and \$1.00 Bottles.

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A perpetually unshaven fellow who runs a newsstand near the winter garden was haled into court on a trivial charge. He pleaded his own case and was dismissed.

The magistrate was interested in his excellent address and his knowledge of the law. He explained that he had been admitted to the bar and was a graduate of a big eastern college.

"I could make \$2,500 a year with my law," he said, "and I make about \$12,000 a year selling newspapers. It may surprise you to see how unskilled I am, but it is business psychology. I dressed in good clothes people would not purchase from me."

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From Your Dealer

Telephone System
Being Extended

Are 11,000 Phones in Farm Homes in Alberta

According to the deputy minister of railways and telephones of the provincial government, there are 11,000 telephones in farm homes in Alberta.

It is the aim of the government to place an automatic phone in the home of every subscriber. The government has adopted the policy of extending the system as soon as possible to districts where the service does not now exist.

In pursuance of this policy an ambitious plan of development is being followed this year. Miles of construction work is being undertaken for which the government has ordered 250,000 telephone poles, one and a half million pounds of copper wire, and about four million pounds of iron wire.

During the past year over two million long distance calls were handled by the system.

A will written on a table cloth was refused probate in San Francisco because Mrs. Helen Scott, who wrote it just before she died, forgot to put a date on it.

HOW TO "BE FIT" AT SIXTY

As our boys "came marching home," they brought a certain red-blooded doctrine, and showed us the glory of a perfect body. They will show us how to "keep fit," even if we have passed middle life and are beyond the athletic stage. For the tired business man, the man who feels the daily grind and the nightly lag, has meager appetite, headaches, nerves unstrung, is gloomy, ending in a soggy brain, try the right way. Get out of bed, open the window, breathe deeply, exercise the army "setting-up" exercise or use dumb bells, until in a warm glow.

Before breakfast take hot water, and occasionally castor oil or a pleasant laxative made up of May-apple, aloin, jalap, and sold by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

As Prof. Strauss says, "The excretion of uric acid we are able to effect by exciting diuresis." Drink copiously of soft rain or distilled water, six or eight glasses per day, hot water before meals, and obtain Anurio Tablets, double strength, for 50 cts., at the nearest drug store and take them three times a day. If you want a trial package send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

"Anurio" (anti-uric-acid) is the recent discovery of Dr. Pierce and is much more potent than lithia, for it will dissolve uric acid as hot tea dissolves sugar.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON FOR APRIL 11

DEBORAH AND BARAK DELIVER ISRAEL

The book of Judges covers the period from the conquest of Canaan and death of Joshua to the judgeship of Samuel. While Joshua and the elders of his generation lived the people in some measure remained faithful to his word, but the very next generation went into apostasy. Their declension may be accounted for as follows:

1. Failure to drive the Canaanites from their midst.
2. Their amalgamation with the Canaanites. Their close proximity to the people had its leavening effect, for they soon intermarried with the heathen. Tolerance with the enemy is closely followed by union therewith, and quick disaster comes in the wake of such union.
3. Idolatry. Inter-marriage with the heathen was soon followed by the worship of the heathen gods. Thus Israel's power was gradually weakened, so that instead of being conquerors they became the conquered.

In chapter 2:6-9 is given a synopsis of the book of Judges:

1. The sin of the people (vv. 6-13).
2. God's judgment for their sin (vv. 14, 15).
3. Repentance of the people (3:9).
4. God's deliverance at the hands of the judges (vv. 16-19).

A repetition of sin, oppression by the enemy; repentance on the part of the people, and God's deliverance, is the story of the book of Judges.

1. The judgeship of Deborah (4:4-5). Her name means "Bee," suggesting orderly instincts. As suggested by another, "She answered her name by her industry, sagacity, and great use to the public." The period was marked by awful oppression. The Israelites were helpless, for the enemy had 900 chariots of iron. Deborah was an unique character. God raised her up for such a time as this. Under a palm tree she held an open court for the administration of justice.

II. Deborah summons Barak (4:6-10). Barak means "lightning." Deborah, being a prophetess, was able to select the man whose gifts would enable him to rally the forces needed to gain the victory over the formidable foe.

1. Deborah's call (vv. 6, 7). It was God's call through her. She gave definite instruction as to the number of men and the strategy to be employed, assuring Barak that God would deliver Sisera, the captain of Jabin's army into his hands.

2. Barak's reply (v. 8). Expression of unwillingness to go unless Deborah would go with him should hardly be considered as cowardice or weakness, as it is a well recognized fact that the presence of a woman, especially the prophetess, would inspire courage on the part of the warriors. However he should have believed God's word to give the victory without the aid of a woman.

3. Barak's rebuke (vv. 9, 10). Deborah yielded his request, but made it plain to him that it would detract from his honor as a conqueror, "for the Lord shall sell Sisera into the hands of a woman."

III. The Defeat of Jabin's Army (vv. 11-16). Sisera, the captain, gathered a mighty army and went forth with full assurance of victory, but he made a sad mistake; he did not consider that it was the Lord's battle (v. 15). At the psychological moment Deborah gave the signal to charge, assuring Barak that the Lord would give victory (v. 16). Through supernatural interposition the enemy became panic-stricken (see 5:20).

IV. Sisera Killed by a Woman (vv. 17-24). In his flight he took refuge in Jael's tent. Under the guise of friendship she committed the most heinous murder. She fastened his head to the ground by means of a tent pin.

V. Deborah and Barak's Song of Victory (chap. 5). This was composed and sung in celebration of the marvelous victory which God had wrought.

Wireless for Irish Cities

Cutting of Telegraph and Telephone Wires Causing Trouble

In consequence of the frequency with which telephone and telegraph wires in Ireland are being cut, the government has decided on an extensive use of wireless telegraphy there, says the Daily Mail.

Naval signalmen are being employed to start the system and the newspaper intimates that portable telephones with a radius of about 30 miles are being employed in transmitting messages from one police station to another or between adjacent towns. It is asserted that the system has proved satisfactory.

British Bullion Reaches America

Gold bullion valued at two millions pounds sterling, to be used in paying interest on Anglo-French bonds due next October, arrived in New York on the steamer Lapland. The consignment, the first to be sent here from Great Britain for this purpose, it was said, was consigned to J. P. Morgan and Company.

An oyster attains its full growth in about three years.

British Won In Espionage Game

Counter System Completely Paralyzed
Hush Spies in England

The London Morning Post published recently an interesting record of Germany's spy system and Great Britain's counter-espionage organization which was so efficient by the summer of 1915 that seven German spies were taken in one fortnight, paralyzing Germany's schemes to re-establish her spy service in Great Britain. A feather in the cap of the British organization was the capture of two Dutchmen named Janssen and Roos. Suspicions were aroused concerning them on account of numerous telegrams they despatched from naval ports to The Hague, apparently ordering cigars. This was remarkable as sailors are not in the habit of ordering cigars, so the senders were arrested.

Janssen and Roos, when examined, claimed to be travelers on behalf of the Dierks company of The Hague. Under further examination they gave contradictory explanations, and the prosecution showed that the address of the Dierks company was the same as the headquarters of the German secret service in Holland. Next day Roos endeavored to commit suicide by cutting his manacled wrists on the broken glass of a door. The cigar code was found to refer to naval secrets, Habanas meaning light cruisers and Coronas battleships. Janssen and Roos were convicted and shot on a miniature rifle range in the grounds of the Tower. They faced the firing parties with bravery.

Neutral spies from Holland and elsewhere thus learned that an espionage mission in England was attended with the greatest difficulties. Thenceforward Germany only sent casual spies, who pretended to be commercial travelers, and tried to get away before their movements aroused suspicion.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Bleak Prospect

"Two bags and a hatbox," said the tourist who was travelling for the first time in Scotland, on arriving at a little wayside station. The porter mournfully collected the articles and put them on board a cab. "And, by the way, porter," said the passenger, "what do they usually give you here for a tip?"

The porter jerked his thumb over his shoulder. "See you big house in among the trees?" he asked.

"Yes, but what has that to do with it?"

"Well, that's the workhouse, and it's fur 'a old railway gorters."—Argonaut.

She Tells Just Why They Are So Popular

MRS. OAKES SPEAKS IN PRAISE OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

She had severe backache before using Dodd's Kidney Pills, but now she says she is quite well again.

Hastings, Ont. April 5th.—(Special)—Among the women in this section who are shouting the praises of Dodd's Kidney Pills is Mrs. John Oakes, one of our highly respected residents. Mrs. Oakes failed to give the reason.

"Before using Dodd's Kidney Pills," she states, "I suffered with severe backaches. Now I am quite well again."

"I am highly pleased with Dodd's Kidney Pills. They have given me the best of satisfaction. In those last two sentences Mrs. Oakes gives the reason why Dodd's Kidney Pills are so universally popular with the women of Canada. They give satisfaction. Women in all parts of Canada are every day stating that they suffered from kidney ills and found relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

If you haven't used Dodd's Kidney Pills ask your neighbors about them. They have been in use in Canada for more than a quarter of a century and have earned a place in the family medicine chest almost everywhere.

Native Drivers in the Jungle

Become Full-Fledged Chauffeurs Within Three or Four Weeks

It is natural that since automobiles have found their way into every part of the world, the drivers would vary in appearance, and in attire or lack of attire, according to the customs of the countries in which the motor car is called to do service. If you were to walk along the road leading from the west coast of equatorial Africa several hundred miles into the interior, for instance, you might see a motor truck, plowing through the jungle, and in the chauffeur's seat driving with peculiar and cheerful abandon, would be a West African native. And from the appearance of his driver's uniform, it would be evident that the high cost of clothing would bother him not one whit. These natives become full-fledged chauffeurs within two or three weeks from the time they see their first motor vehicle. The trucks, of which there are about 200, maintain regular schedules as feeders to a large steamship line plying between West African ports and Europe and America. They are loaded with men and supplies on the inland trips, and with cocoa products, palm oil, hides, and rubber bound for the coast.

Great wealth and little health make a pitiable combination.

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Seeding Prospects Fair

Good Supply of Wheat, Oats and Barley Seed in West

Ottawa.—Seeding prospects in the prairie provinces are very fair as far as can be judged at this early date, it is stated in reports to the department of agriculture. There is a good supply of wheat, oats and barley seed in the west. It is fairly well distributed and in good conditions.

Good fall rains were reported from most districts, and nowhere is it anticipated that there will be insufficient moisture for germination. Some districts are fairly dry and depend for their crops on weather conditions early in the season.

In giving out these details, Dr. J. H. Crisdale, deputy minister of agriculture, stated that no difficulty is anticipated in distributing seed. There is sufficient to meet every demand and it will be available where it is required.

Crop prospects throughout the Dominion are apparently good at this date.

SPRING IMPURITIES MEAN WEAK BLOOD

A Tonic Medicine Is a Necessity At This Season

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an all year round tonic, blood builder and nerve strengthener. But they are especially valuable in the spring when the system is clogged with impurities as a result of the indoor life of the winter months. There is no other season when the blood is so much in need of purifying and enriching. In the spring one feels weak and tired.

—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills give strength. In the spring the appetite is often poor—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills improve the appetite, tone the stomach and aid weak digestion. It is in the spring that poisons in the blood most often find an outlet in disfiguring pimples, eruptions and boils.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills speedily clear the skin because they go to the root of the trouble in the blood. In spring anaemia, indigestion, neuralgia, rheumatism and many other troubles are persistent because of weak, watery blood and it is at this time when all nature takes on new life that the blood most seriously needs attention. Among those who have proved the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is Mr. Archie D. Carmichael, Tarbot, N.S., who says: "For a number of years I was bothered with pimples which would break out on my face and body. The trouble was always worse in the spring, and although I tried different treatments, it was without much success. In the spring of two years ago the trouble was worse than usual, and although I was taking medicine it did not help me until I finally decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Under this treatment the pimples disappeared and the skin has since been absolutely free of the trouble."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be obtained from any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Dairying in Manitoba

Value of Dairy Products For the Year Amounted to \$16,789,892.51

Manitoba has forty-four creameries, with 22,000 milk and cream shippers, and present indications for increased production of dairy products in the province are exceedingly encouraging.

During the year 1919 a number of new silos were erected at different parts of the province. These have been filled with corn, green oats, and peas, which makes a succulent and good cheap feed for milk cows.

The total value of dairy products for the year amounted to \$16,789,892.51. The increased production, combined with the increased price, amounted to \$5,001,719.25. The increase in dairying is more noticeable in the Southern part of the province, where grain growing has been carried on for 25 or 30 years. There appears to be a marked change towards more mixed farming in this part of Manitoba.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Former Emperor Starts Moving

Part of former Emperor William's personal luggage has been moved from Benthin Castle, where he is living at present to Doorn, where he is soon to take up his residence. A large number of trunks, most of which had not been opened since the former emperor's arrival here have been taken to Doorn in motor trucks. Moving day for Count Hohenzollern is expected to be May 1.

Cataract Cannot be Cured

by LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Cataract is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will cure cataract. It is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is what produces such wonderful results in cataract conditions.

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Good Prospects For Crop

"I consider the prospects for the coming season on the land are the best in several years," states F. W. Crandall, of Calgary, the largest individual farmer in Alberta.

Mr. Crandall states that he expects to crop about 10,000 acres this year. The moisture conditions, he says, are ideal. There has been a heavy fall of snow, which has gone off gradually, furnishing moisture to the soil.

This opinion is shared by experienced farmers from all parts of the province, and all indications point to a heavy crop this season.

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GEORGE LANE (Desk B.), CALGARY, ALBERTA

Manitoba to Improve Roads
The province of Manitoba is to spend \$5,000,000 on road improvement this year. The bulk of this will go for the grading of 800 miles of road. When this is completed the province will have 2,000 miles of graded roads, mostly graveled. A large number of concrete bridges are to be built. All the work will be done by contract under the supervision of the government.

GRUMPY?
If Constipated, Bilious or Headachy, take "Cascarets"

Brain foggy? Blue devils got you? Don't stay sick, bilious, headachy, constipated. Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, your breath bad and stomach sour. Why not spend a few cents for a box of Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest, laxative-cathartic you ever experienced? Cascarets never gripe, sicken or inconvenience one like Salts, Oil, Calomel or Harsh Pills. They work while you sleep.

General Botha As Campaigner

During the Boer War He Used No Maps

How General Botha, one of the South African bulwarks of the British Empire during the world war, carried on his campaign against Great Britain during the Boer War, is told by The Contemporary Review: "During the Boer war he used no maps. He worked entirely by rote, by swift calculations, by keenness of eye, by knowledge of the country, by rapid perception of the lie of the land, and of the difference between dry and wet land, marching places and halting places, and so forth. Yet his instincts were extraordinarily sound. One of his aides-de-camp said that Botha had only once been caught out, and that was when he allowed his own judgment to be out-weighted by that of his staff."

Motor Cars in Canada

One in Every Twenty-three Persons in Canada Own a Motor Car

There are 6,000,000 automobiles in the United States or one to every twenty inhabitants. In England there are only 180,000 cars, or one to every 268 persons. There is one automobile to every 402 people in France, to 684 people in Germany, to 1,000 people in Italy, to 2,700 people in Austria, to 5,300 in Russia.

Registration of cars in Canada increased 13 per cent. over that of 1918. Ontario continues to be the banner province for automobiles, with 127,860 passenger cars, and 11,428 motor trucks in use, with Saskatchewan, Alberta, Manitoba and Quebec following in order. The rural population owns more than half the cars in the Dominion and in the prairie provinces the percentage is higher.

Canada is no longer an assembling centre for automobile parts made in the United States. The made in Canada automobile is now a reality.

Fish May Cheapen Shoes

Fish leather may reduce the cost of boots and shoes. The appearance of leather made from the skins of the finny tribe is heralded by tanners and shoe manufacturers as the beginning of a new national industry. Experts say fish leather will soon be used for all kinds of footwear, from the finest of women's shoes to heavy hunting boots. It will also be in demand for bookbinding, bags, trunks and harness. Leather made from fish skins, it is said, equals in quality that made from land animals.

Wantmore Peanut Candy

Boil three cups of sugar in one cup of water until it hardens when dropped into water, flavor with lemon, then add one and a half cups of Wantmore Blanched Salted Peanuts chopped fine. Stir well. Have ready a hot dish or pan freely buttered, and pour candy in. Spread over enough surface to make a thin candy. Be sure and use Fowler's Wantmore Salted Peanuts, as no other peanuts will make it as good.

Allies Borrowing From Argentine

Britain, France and Italy Share Loan For Wheat Purchase

Announcement that negotiations for Argentina's loan of \$200,000,000 to Great Britain, France and Italy had been completed was made yesterday by Carlos A. Tornquist, high commissioner of finance of Argentina, on his arrival from Europe on the steamer Lapland.

Great Britain and France each received 40 per cent. and Italy 20 per cent. of the loan, which, he said, is for the purpose of financing purchases of wheat, beef and other foodstuffs in the South American country.

Embargo on Sovereigns

China and India have an unlimited capacity for absorbing the Australian sovereign, but unfortunately in the process of absorption the gold piece is melted down, becomes jewelry or is hoarded. The Commonwealth has a decided objection to this disappearance, and instructions have been issued that persons traveling in India and adjacent countries will not be allowed to carry away more than 30 sovereigns, while in no case will Chinese or Hindus be permitted to take away more than 20 sovereigns each.

Travelers to the United States and Europe, however, may still carry \$50 in gold.

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Local Items

"The Bitter or the Better End," an evening subject of Grace Methodist Church, on Sunday at 7:30. Morning Worship and Sunday School at 11. All are welcome.

Lacombe. A real community service at 3 p.m. Subject, "The Hiring." The minister will conduct the service.

The members of the W.C.T.U. and those interested in W.C.T.U. work, are most cordially invited to a silver tea, to be held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Whitney at three thirty o'clock on Friday afternoon, April Ninth.

Mrs. R. C. Mason handles the Red Deer Brand which is fresh every day; also cakes and candies. Think of the quality and you will forget the price. Next door to the Lacombe Furniture Store.

Robert McKenzie this week purchased the Col. Gregory farm near town and will make it his headquarters for the cattle buying business. Yards will be erected as soon as possible.

There will be a meeting of the W. I. in the rest room on Saturday 10th. A report of the convention will be read and everyone is urged to attend.

The John Deere Co. will conduct a Free Tractor school at their warehouse here on Monday and Tuesday next. All interested invited.

A special meeting of the Red Cross Society workers will be held at the home of Mrs. N. Morrison on Wednesday afternoon the 14th inst at 3 o'clock.

Ole Boode and family returned on Saturday from an extended visit to Vancouver. Mr. Boode will engage in the automobile business for the present. It is his intention to sell out his property and business here and return to Vancouver as soon as arrangements can be completed. Ole has a good business connection in this district, and it might be well for anyone thinking of going into business here to have a talk with him.

St. Andrew's Church
Next Sunday will be a special Sunday for young people at the morning service. The subject "New and Old Battles" will be illustrated from Raphael's picture, "The Transfiguration." The evening service will be a young peoples' service, the subject being, "Choosing a Lifework." On Monday evening, all the young people are invited to a social evening, when some unique features will be on the program. Come and bring a friend.

The New Club Cafe
Famers and decorators, have been busy for the past ten days remodeling the Cafe on Nanton St., next door to the Western Globe office, and in a few days, their work will be completed and the place ready for business. The interior has been completely renovated and when the opening takes place in a few days there will be no more up-to-date cafe in the west. Messrs. Chris. and William Spillios are the new proprietors. They are both experienced restaurant men, and will run a strictly up-to-date place. Meals will be supplied at all hours, and regular meals at meal hours, and their prices will be as low as possible. In addition to the restaurant, a full line of fruits and confectionery and ice cream will be handled—the best of everything to be procured. Watch for opening announcement.

Curling
The regular semi-annual meeting of the Lacombe Curling Club will be held in the Town Hall Thursday evening, April 8th at 7:45. All members are urgently requested to be present.
E. C. Chapman, Secretary.

Blackfalds W. I.
The regular monthly meeting of the W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Wady. Mrs. Wagnon and Mrs. Stephenson entertained. "Gardening" the subject of last meeting was again discussed and many valuable hints were given. Mrs. McNicols talk on cabbage and Mrs. Bill's on Cucumbers and Mrs. Elwell's on Tomatoes were especially interesting and instructive. Cut worms came in for very severe hostile criticism. Local dealers are advised to stock heavily with Paris Green as the ladies are starting a crusade to exterminate these pests.

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Dear Mr. Editor:
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16 To cause worms.
17 To cause Bright's disease.
18 To cause diabetes.
19 To cause appendicitis.
20 To cause peritonitis or other inflammatory conditions.
Yours Truly,
A Searcher of Truth

A. Henderson's Sale

The most successful sale of pure-bred cattle ever held in the province took place in Lacombe yesterday, when Sam Henderson's herd of Aberdeen Angus bulls and cows was disposed of. It was expected that J. D. McGregor of Brandon would have a number of animals in the sale, but his entries did not arrive. There was keen competition throughout, and cows going to McGregor at \$1250.00, while H. G. Morrison, Manager of the Merchants Bank here, purchased the next highest at \$850.00. In all the 26 cows sold netted the sum of \$10,250, an average of \$394.00 each; the 10 bulls brought \$1950.00, an average of \$195.00 each. Altogether the sale was a decided success, and Auctioneer Dameron who had the arrangements in hand, is to be congratulated on the successful outcome. The fame of Henderson's black fellows has gone abroad, his herd is at the top of the list in Western Canada.

Bunnell Bros. Land Co. Opening a Branch in the U.S.

B. E. Bunnell and A. J. Lundy of the firm "Bunnell Bros.," are establishing an office in Mankato, Minnesota, U.S.A. to work in conjunction with the Lacombe Office. J. R. Whitney, of Lacombe, has taken over the interests of B. E. Bunnell in the Lacombe office, and the local office will be run under the management of Paul Bunnell and Mr. Whitney, and will hereafter be known as the "Lacombe Realty Company."

The Minnesota office can get in touch with a lot of prospective settlers, and by coming up with them, will have a better chance of locating them in the Lacombe district. There is going to be a great immigration from the United States this spring, and many moneyed buyers will be looking for land, and with the assistance of the U. S. Office, many of them will locate here. If you have any land to sell, list it with this company, and assure yourself of a quick sale.

The American office will operate under the name of "The Canadian Land Co."

B. E. Bunnell and A. J. Lundy are moving to Minnesota in the near future and will get their office opened at the earliest possible moment. They intend to do a lot of advertising, and as both these gentlemen are thoroughly acquainted with conditions in this district, they should be instrumental in locating numerous farmers.

This Company will also deal in all kinds of insurance, and represent some of the best Companies in the world.

EASTER STANDING
Lacombe High School

Grade IX	
1 Elmore Stewart	80
2 Margaret Calder	71
3 Juliet Morris	69
4 Lyla Rose	68
5 Jean Campbell	68
6 Lester Mathieson	68
7 Madelein Long	62
8 Mae Emerson	60
9 Florence Gammel	60
10 Herbert Pocock	60
11 Marie Long	60
12 Ethel Redig	56
13 Madeleine Haynes	57
14 Bertha Raven	57
15 Ruth Hale	56
16 Frank Shearzer	56
17 Gertrude Gourlay	55
18 Ellice Riley	55
19 Hilda Richardson	52
20 Robert Ritz	52
Stanley Kent	49
Myrtle Perry	48
Josephine Maddox	47
Muriel Johnson	45
Mable Gale	45
Thomas Day	39
Marion Halpin	30
Unclassified—Nina Bagley	

Grade X	
1 Cathy Scorgie	73.20
2 Kathleen Reid	69.4
3 Joan Kent	66.1
4 Anna Raymond	64.25
5 Leslie Chisholm	61
6 Mary Kent	61
7 Ettie Cochran	60.4
8 Lorna Blair	59.2
9 Janet McDowell	59.1
10 Margaret Stout	58
11 Arthur Storey	57.3
12 Mary Biglands	54.1
13 Winnie Ellis	57
14 Edgar Toffey	52.2
15 Clara Gottschlich	51.5
16 Gertrude Ramsay	51
17 Hattie Walters	48
18 Ella Graham	43.4
19 Mildred Abbott	42.9
Unclassified specials	
Lonia Calkins	29.94
Lucy Ritz	68.1
Ethel Wright	54.66

Grade XI	
1 Mary Kent	75.35
2 Celine VanHumbek	72.72
3 Christine Haynes	68.9
4 Marie Sheets	68.2
5 Carson Williams	67.65
6 Robena Scorgie	67.85
7 Douglas Lundy	63.15
8 Bessie Shanks	63.13
9 Leota Whitney	61.72
10 Muriel Northcott	61.8
11 Audrey Brown	61.1
12 Laura Bradley	60.46
13 Lillian Gale	59.25
14 Douglas Gilmore	59.3
15 Melvyn Gourlay	58.75
16 Birdie Johnson	58.5
17 Laurence Chisholm	58.16
18 Arthur Lundy	55.59
19 Jas. Calder	54.5
20 Mary Ball	53.3
21 Freda Atzinger	53.38
22 Harry Fortune	37.76
Unclassified specials	
Georgine Connors	55
Ines Connors	34
May McLeod	48
Winnifred Winter	29

Grade XII	
Fleming Gilmore	61.8

LINCOLN

Mr. E. N. Yearks has returned from a trip to Manitoba, and he is apparently glad to be home again. He reports a most severe storm during the last week end, and telephones and telegraph communication being out of commission altogether. Alberta may appear bad enough to some of us at times but there are many places worse.

Mr. Archie Marple is back again in the district and is speeding a few days with Mr. Alex Wilson. We understand Mr. Marple intends taking up his residence at Saratoga Point.

Mrs. Alex Wilson sold some fat cattle to a local buyer last week.

Potatoes are scarce in Alberta and they are evidently just as scarce in Utah, U.S.A. Although we believe we have a climate as good as many other countries, and we can raise nearly anything in the way of vegetables, etc., at the same time, there is a limit to all things and one can hardly expect potatoes to keep sound and remain in the ground all winter. A certain party planted some potatoes last spring in our district and then went away to Utah and returned during last week and promptly went out to dig the potato crop. Some digging. He will make a fortune if he finds the spuds in good condition.

Mrs. J. B. Cropper drove through and nearly all over the north end of our district last week, and Mr. Ferguson the Engineer of the Govt. Telephone accompanied him. Nearly all the residents interviewed by Mr. Ferguson made application for installation of a phone, and it is understood that work will be proceeded with as soon as conditions will permit. We hope Mr. Cropper took notice of roads needed and badly needed too; and will try and help some of the residents this year by doing much needed work. We can't afford aeroplanes, yet other means of transportation will be of little use in the early spring.

Wilmot News

W. S. Waldern is a Wilmot visitor. George Taylor is spending a few days with his brother Nathan Taylor. The leap year box social and dance held in the Lochinvar Hall was a grand success, bringing the sum of seventy six dollars and sixty cents. The girls did very well in bidding. Mr. Nathan Taylors box brought the highest, it went at \$7.50. Everybody enjoyed themselves till the wee sma's hours of the morning, and everybody departed for home wishing for another leap year dance four years from now. The proceeds go to the drought stricken victims of Southern Alberta, for which every cent is needed for that cause. The total sent away is \$57.60, ten dollars being deducted for rent of hall and for lunch expenses.

The money was sent to the Drought Stricken relief fund at Calgary, Red Cross Headquarters, which will distribute the money among the needy ones.

Nathan Taylor is out visiting his brother Mr. George Taylor at Bashaw. Sauve is out visiting friends at Saratoga and Haynes.

John Taylor is on the sick list; we are sorry to report.

We are glad to see Nathan Taylor around again after a severe attack of flu.

Miss Lillian and Margaret Archibald are sick with the flu, and we hope to see them around soon.

Kurber has bought another quarter of land in the Wilmot district, and is busy getting out tamarac posts to fence it.

Erskine Taylor is busy chopping and grinding these days.

A nice crowd from Wilmot went up to Fairbank dance on the 20th and report a fine time, which encourages the folks all to go again.

The Wilmot teacher Lillian Sharp is away to the teachers convention, which leaves the Wilmot school closed for a week or so.

Bad News For the Crooks

Under an amendment to the present act, that is now before the Legislature, the commissioner of the provincial police is being given the authority to take charge of the investigation of crime—of crime—in any municipality, cities, and towns included, with power to call upon the local police for such help as he may consider necessary.

There will likely be objections on the part of some civic police officials who may not take kindly to the idea of being superseded in the authority in their own backyards, and perhaps, also from civic politicians who wish to use municipal police force for purposes of their own. The right of city administration to enforce law and order with what extent it sees fit will no doubt be proclaimed from the platforms next fall as one of the main-props of democracy.

Notwithstanding which, and partly because of which, the Government and Legislature are doing their duty which is to enforce the law. Every citizen in Alberta is entitled to look to the Government of the Province for efficient police protection, despite the intervening municipal authority to which the Legislature has delegated certain powers for local purposes. That right is not cancelled by the fact that the citizen happens to live in a town or a city instead of in the country.

Experience has shown that divided police authority is sometimes no authority when it comes to catching criminals and suppressing crime. There has not been that co-operation between municipal and provincial police forces that taxpayers were entitled to expect. At times there has been what looked very like rivalry between the forces; carried to the length of willingness that a criminal should escape rather than that the "other"

force should be helped and perhaps gain prestige from his capture.

If that sort of thing is to end, and the entire police system of the province be concentrated on the job of catching criminals and enforcing law, some one must be put at the head of both provincial and civic police for purposes of emergency. And it is both right and expedient that the "chief" under such circumstances should be the representatives of the superior legislative authority, and the head of the force having jurisdiction everywhere in the province.

Any doubt on that point is cleared up by the action of the member for Lethbridge, who objects strongly to the provincial officials being given power to virtually take command of a city police force, when occasion requires. Lethbridge it will be recalled is the city where the local authorities allowed criminal conditions to become such a few months ago that the Attorney General had to threaten to take charge of the situation in order to protect the citizens and redeem the reputation of the community. It is precisely that a situation of that kind may adequately be dealt with that the powers of the provincial police are being enlarged.

CANADIAN NEWS IN BRIEF

(By C.P.A. Telegram)
Ottawa, Ont.—The Soldiers' Settlement Board announces that action is being taken to dispose of 75,000 acres of Hudson's Bay reserve land in Saskatchewan and Alberta, which have been cancelled by the Crown. Also 10,000 acres of Doubtful Reserve lands near Kamourist, Saskatchewan. Another 30,000 acres of grazing land will also be opened up. The whole 115,000 acres will be available for soldier settlement after April 30th.

Ottawa, Ont.—A return brought down in Parliament places the total enlistments in Canada for the Canadian Expeditionary Force at 590,375. By provinces the numbers are as follows: Ontario, 243,677; Quebec, 52,793; New Brunswick, 25,864; Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, 33,342; Manitoba, 65,319; Saskatchewan, 37,466; Alberta, 45,146; British Columbia, 51,489; Yukon, 2,327.

Ottawa, Ont.—The applications of over 100 Imperial veterans who desire to take advantage of the Soldier Land Settlement scheme, have been approved. These veterans will be required to spend at least one year on farms in Canada to become familiar with Canadian methods. The others will be absorbed into the local farming establishments and will be required to spend at least two years farming in Canada before becoming eligible for the loan benefits of the Act.

Quebec, P.Q.—During the last 15 years the Province of Quebec has spent \$22,000,000 on highways. In 1920 the ordinary annual provincial grants for education are \$2,000,000. The capital invested in pulp and paper mills within the province is \$54,000,000 and the number of mill employees about 10,000.

Sherbrooke, P.Q.—The Campbell-Howard Machine Company, formerly the Sherbrooke Iron Works Ltd. have sold their business to G. L. Bourne and P. A. Schaff, of New York. These gentlemen are respectively president and vice-president of the Locomotive Superheater Co. of New York, railway supply people and it is the intention to manufacture railway supplies for Canada also to carry on a general foundry and machine business.

Vancouver, B.C.—According to an announcement made by R. J. Lyett, vice-president of the Trans-Canada Theatres Ltd., this company will shortly start the construction of a new theatre to be erected close to the C. P. R. Vancouver Hotel, which will have a seating capacity of about 1,000 and cost \$400,000; construction of which will start shortly.

Baiting the Lion
The following editorial recently appeared in a Cleveland newspaper.

"The baiting of Great Britain in the United States is bringing a kick-back from the United Kingdom. It suggests that unless there is some specific benefit to be gotten from twisting the lions' tail, it might be well to call a halt in Congress and in the columns of certain papers. Not because we love the British, not because we want to be friends generally, but purely because it is money in our pockets."

"Of course the United States does not fear Great Britain. Nor does it fear the Japanese. The combination of the two, with a merging of strength at a great base at Shanghai, for war possibly against the nation which indulges with equal freedom its remarks about two proud peoples rather alters the situation. Add Canada to the combination with 4000 miles of frontier; add Mexico with the backing of the South and Central American republics, sore at the petrofining Monroe doctrines and there is quite a husky hostile combination."

"And why the speculation? Simply because the British resentment of entirely unnecessary flings from this side of the water is finding concrete expressions to events and possibly in plans."

"The United States, generally is as unpopular in Europe as it was in the days when the Allies were shedding their blood, and paying millions to United States munition manufacturers, protected in their commerce by the British fleet. Charles Palmer has just been elected to parliament over a government and a labor candidate. He ran on a British national platform and made Anti-American speeches in his campaign."

"Every newspaper in Canada

has grounds for hostility to the United States through the fact that American publishers were getting the print-paper right from under the Canadian noses.

"International enmity is expensive and wasteful. Concord between the United States, England and Canada costs only some self-restraint, and a decent appreciation of the other fellow."

THE HISTORY OF BATTLEFORD

It is only of recent years, since the opening of the country by the railroads and the discovery of its wonderful possibilities, that Western Canada has found its way into the histories of the world. The stories of the early settlers who penetrated an almost unknown land full of hope but of uncertainty of the future, the Indian troubles, the province of the fertility and productivity of Western soil, the transition of the prairie from its primitive wilderness to the busy productive grain areas supplying the granaries of the world—all these are almost too near our own epoch to yet be history. Yet there are certain localities which constitute landmarks in the glowing story of Western progress, names already fraught with historical aroma, blending the romance of early settlement with the bustle of modern industry and agricultural progress. The Battleford district is one of these.

The city of Battleford, beautifully situated where the Battle River and mighty Saskatchewan converge, was one of the earliest of Western settlements—a thriving little community in the era before the railroads. It linked up Winnipeg with Calgary and Macleod on the main trail which led through what are now the prairie provinces. In 1878 it was made the seat of the North West Territories and Government and Parliament continued to meet there until the penetration of the Canadian Pacific Railway further south and the consequent attraction of settlers along its route caused it to relinquish this honor in favor of the more conveniently situated town of Regina. Its name occurs frequently in the tales of early western settlement and the Battleford district was the scene of many bloody encounters between pioneers and Indians. At the barricades of the town the Indian Chief Poundmaker surrendered to General Middleton on May 28th, 1885, virtually closing the chapter of Canada's Indian Wars.

It is in this historic district, that one of the last blocks of land owned by the C.P.R. is just becoming available for settlement. It is a beautiful park area of picturesque shady groves, rolling upland and luxuriant meadows. The country is admirably suited to mixed farming and a live stock industry, for its rolling slopes produce fine hay, and its clumps of trees, whilst offering no serious obstacles to grain-growing, afford shade in the summer and shelter in the winter. The soil is a rich chocolate loam with a clay subsoil ensuring a conservation of these ingredients which make for rapid and bountiful growth. Wheat is grown extensively and successfully, as well as other cereal crops. Every phase of agriculture in fact has been successfully carried on. Poultry raising, market gardening, and vegetable growing flourish, whilst there is no better dairying locality in the Western provinces.

Judicial Sale of Farm Property

Pursuant to the judgment and final order for sale there will be offered for sale by Public Auction with the approval of a Judge of the Supreme Court of Alberta, by Clarence F. Dameron, Esquire, at the Post Office of the Village of Bentley, in the Province of Alberta, on

SATURDAY, the 17th day of April, A.D. 1920.

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon; the South East quarter (¼) of section Nineteen (19), in Township Forty (40), in Range Two (2), West of the Fifth meridian, in the Province of Alberta.

The said property is situated ten miles from the Village of Bentley. The land consists of black loam and clay, about six to twelve inches deep, and the sub-soil is clay.

There are about eight acres broken, and the remainder covered with timber.

The buildings on the said property consist of a log house.

This property is offered for sale subject to a Reserve Bid which has been fixed by a Judge.

The purchaser is required to pay a deposit of ten per cent of the purchase price to the Vendor's Solicitor at the time of the sale, and the balance is to be paid into Court within sixty days without interest.

In all other respects the terms and conditions of the sale will be the standing conditions of sale of the Supreme Court of Alberta.

Further particulars can be obtained from the Vendor's Solicitor, A. M. MacDonald, Lacombe, Alberta.

Dated at the Town of Lacombe, in the Province of Alberta, this twentieth day of March, A.D. 1920.

E. C. Hogg, Clerk of the Court.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the Estate of Allan Humphrey Moore, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Allan Humphrey Moore, who died on or about the 1st day of December, A. D. 1919, are required to send to the undersigned solicitors for the Administrator of the estate, by the 15th day of April, A. D. 1920, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and any securities held by them and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to their knowledge.

Dated this 22nd day of March, A.D. 1920.

Payne and Graham
Red Deer Alberta.
Solicitors for the Administrator.

One Dollar Weekly

PARENTS! Tell your children that \$1.00 deposited at this bank every week for ten years, with interest at 2 per cent, compounded semi-annually, will amount to \$905.79.

Encourage your children to save.

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Lacombe Branch and Safety Deposit Boxes
W. F. Graham - Manager
Branches also at Bentley, Clay, Rimbey.

Free Tractor School

The John Deere Co. will conduct a Tractor School at Their Warehouse in Lacombe, on

Monday & Tuesday, April 12th & 13th

and will demonstrate the

"WATERLOO BOY" TRACTOR

All interested are invited to attend

H. ALLIN - Agent

AUCTION SALE

N.W. 14 Section 22-30-1, w. 8 1-2 miles S.W. of Bentley, 6 miles north and 1 mile west of Sylvan Lake. 14 miles west and 1-2 mile north of Blackfalds.

Commencing at 1 p.m. on

Thursday, April 15

HOMES

Brown Gelding, 6 years old, weight about 1800.
Bay gelding, aged, weight about 1200.
Black gelding, 13 years old, weight 1000.
Grey Gelding rising 3 years old, broke.

CATTLE

4 cows, all milking.
1 cow to be fresh about April 16.
2 heifers rising 2 years old, next summer.
2 heifers rising 1 year.
2 heifers winter calves.
1 steer fall calf.

Good laying Barred Rock Hens. 3 Barred Rock Roosters.

1 White Rat Terrier dog.

About 12 bu. good seed potatoes.

MACHINERY

1 Massey-Harris 8 ft. binder; 1 Massey Harris Disc 12-16, good as new; 1 2-sec. John Deere lever harrow, out 1 year; McCormick mower; 1 14 in. breaker; 1 stubble plow; 1 set slaigh; 1 Canadian truck; 1 Petrolia Wagon box; single buggy; 1 East Lake round tank 7 3-4 barrel; grindstone; Set breeding harness; 50 yards chicken wire; 1 hay rack; post hammer; scoup; shovel; pick forks, axe, buck saw, 22 rifle; 130 egg incubator; some well seasoned birch plank; about 2000 ft. rough lumber.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 kitchen Queen range; 1 cupboard; enamel bed, complete; 1 washing machine; 8 chairs; rocker; high chair; baby buggy; 1 fire extinguisher; American cream separator 320 lb. per hour; churn; cream can; a number of stone jars; glass cans; cooking utensils, etc.

TERMS CASH LUNCH AT NOON

Clarence Stanley Owner

C. F. DAMRON, AUCTIONEER.

ESTRAY

Strayed from my place about Dec. 1st, 1919. One brown Shire Filley, coming 8 yrs., old, blazed face, two white feet almost to knee on one side. Branded (Dimly) on left shoulder. W S with quarter circle. W. J. Stevens, Rimbey. Suitable reward will be given \$3-ud.

For Sale
Team of light horses, weight about 2400. One mare and one gelding suitable for general farm work or delivery. For further particulars apply to Postmaster, Blackfalds. M31-1c.

Turkeys For Sale
Pure-bred Bronze Turkey Toms for sale or exchange. Phone Clotworthy, R507, Lacombe. t/c

Estray
I have a bay mare that came to my place March 14th, running with my horses. Bay mare in foal, 2 white hind feet, star in forehead. Owner can have her by paying for this notice and feed. C. H. Whitworth, Bentley.

Spencers' Anconas
Those great winter egg producers. Single comb beauties. Setting eggs \$3.00 per 15. Fertility guaranteed. Mrs. W. H. Spencer, Lacombe, Alta.

Seed Wheat for Sale
25 Bushels Huron seed wheat, 2nd prize at field competition. Clean \$2.25 per bushel. Apply H. F. Flewelling, phone 1704. M31-1p

Auto For Sale
5 passenger McLaughlin special, Model D45. In first class running order. Can be seen at Tees' Garage. B. E. Bunnell, Owner. Phone 178.

House for Sale
My residence, corner of Barnet ave. and Edmonton Trail. Will give a bargain on this property. W. F. Puffer.

Engine For Sale
6 h.p. Fairbanks-Morse, Special electric generator engine and dynamo. Will trade on auto or sell at a snap. May be seen in engine room back of the Rex Theatre or enquire at this office.

Engine For Sale
6 h.p. International gas engine for sale. In good order. A snap. See it at Fred Taylors Blacksmith shop.



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So Practical.
That every artist, George Bernard Shaw, has been surprising an interview of late by extolling the eternal feminine. George has had lots to say in derogation, if not in violent criticism of the fair sex at times past, especially in his plays, so it is about time he was giving modern Eve credit for some ability. He has professed his enmity with a light tap of fault finding; for he says that women can't vote, or rather, they do it abominably. He proceeds in this commendatory strain:

"But no matter how badly they vote there should be women on every administration body on earth. I'd go out and collect them at random. Just as you do coroner's jury. I'd be particular that there should be all sorts of women—and that they were mixed with men on juries, tribunals and committees. Then we should have some thing practical done. Men should not

be allowed to do the actual work. They are not practical enough. Women are. Since the beginning of time it's women who have done the practical things—and most of the despised and unpleasant work. They may often do it badly, but they get it done. And in many things they excel men. Give a woman a dollar and you'll see how far she will make it go."

We may question the advisability of having women on the jury; they are rather emotional for such work; their feelings would probably get the better of their judgment. But what Mr. Shaw says about woman's practical power is a compliment well deserved. And in nothing is this more apparent than in her eye for the main chance—especially shopping. Who is it that reads the advertisements, the bargain advertisements in the newspapers? Lovely women. The father of the family would not stoop to such details; he would walk into the first store he

came to, or rather telephone, and pay any price that was asked of him. Not so his better, his more practical half, for she is a keen buyer, and saves her indolent spouse a deal of money every month because she is so practical. And when she isn't on the qui vive for bargains she is washing the dishes, or darning, or hanging out the clothes, or doing the unpleasant work her husband would rather go to jail than put his brawny hand in.

We shall think better of George Bernard Shaw because of this little tribute to our wives and daughters.

Boy Babies

Quite a stir has been caused in Winnipeg by the announcement that on February 29th, twelve homes in that city were gladdened by the advent of baby boys. On the same day, three girls were born in the same city. Ever since the news has appeared, people have been speculating on the reasons for the preponderance, the overwhelming preponderance of boys over girls in this group of leap year infants.

Naturally some theorists come forward with the suggestion that the war had something to do with the masculine majority, that greater sturdiness in the Canadian nation has resulted through the arduous times experienced in the late struggle.

A prominent W.C.T.U. Woman asserts that this is God's work; that in this way He is repairing the wastage of male Canadians during the war. A medical doctor of Winnipeg does not speak in a religious strain, but he thinks that this is nature's way of overcoming the war losses.

There are still a few people who are old-fashioned enough to believe in the influence of the stars. They think

that the wonderful crop of boy babies has been occasioned by some peculiar arrangement of the constellations.

Although no one can afford to be dogmatic in discussing this difficult question we might hazard the suggestion that the late strike in Winnipeg has had a good deal of weight in influencing the sex of these new arrivals.

X-RAY A MODERN DIAGNOSES METHOD

The routine use of the X-Ray in the diagnosis of internal diseases such as cancer of the stomach, tuberculosis of the lungs, etc., has now come to be recognised as one of the most important. An interesting fact is given where 1140 drafted men of the U.S. overseas service at one point were examined for chest disease. In 24 per cent of these 1140 men the physical examination failed to reveal a disqualifying chest disease, but in each of these the X-Ray had clearly demonstrated the ailment. The X-Ray it will be seen is sufficient in itself to diagnose the presence of tuberculosis or other such disease in the human body.

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50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c.
At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

Japanese Seize Vladivostok
Vladivostok, April 5.—Japanese troops today occupied Vladivostok after eight hours of severe fighting in all parts of the city.

Some of the officers of the revolutionary regiment already have been arrested and executed. All Russians have been disarmed and the Japanese imperial flag was flying in the place of the Russian ensign from all government buildings.

A young lady would be glad of plain sewing and machining. Apply at this office. M24-3p.

Fresh cows for sale
Two good fresh milk cows for sale. Apply Wm. Threlfall, R.1 Lacombe. Phone R410.

For Sale
A fumed oak dining room suite, used just one month. Apply to J. A. Lundy.

For Sale
6 Cylinder car. Cheap for cash. Apply J. A. Lundy.

SPRUCEVILLE

There will be a whist drive and dance at Spruceville hall on Friday evening, April 9th. You are invited.

Warning

The party who entered Robert Allen's house and took forty-eight dollars is asked to return same through the mail and have exposure. The money should be returned by Saturday evening.

For Sale

House and lot. Good frame house on brick foundation. Good stable hold five head, good loft, well situated in town of Lacombe. Will take part payment in horses, for particulars apply to J. H. Larkins, Lashburn, Sask.

WANTED

5 room cottage in good repair, will pay up to \$20.00 per month if suitable. Phone 173.

For Sale

One horse tent 80 x 30, 6 ft. walls, 12 oz. roofing with centre pole, good as new. One cook kitchen 14 x 16, 6 ft walls with ridge pole. One John Deere road plow 12 in. One pump for water tank with 12 in. hose good as new, extra nozzles. Any person wanting any of the above can apply Mountain Cyclone Kennels, Lacombe. Two miles east and four miles north of Lacombe; opposite Milton School.

FOR SALE

Having sold my house and moving from Lacombe, I have for sale one McLaughlin special, D45, nearly new, priced right; terms on part. Also household goods consisting of dining room suite, 2 bedroom suites; 3 rockers; chairs; reading table; writing desk; hall rack; cook stove; heater; child's table and chairs; high chair; book rack, kitchen cabinet, clock, lawn mower, cooler, wagon and sled. 1 large size roll top office desk. This furniture was all new last fall. Can be seen at the house. Phone 195. B. E. Bunnell, Owner.

For Sale

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A Big Western Problem

It is, of course, merely a trite observation, and a statement of what everybody knows, to declare that the Western Prairie Provinces of Canada have many difficult problems to solve in order to promote their maximum growth in population, wealth and general development. Neither time nor space would permit of even a mere recapitulation of these varied and complex problems, not to speak of an intelligent consideration of even a few of them.

Asked to name the first and foremost question demanding attention by the people of the West, would, no doubt, be as varied as they would be interesting. Some would say a larger population in order to develop the country, increase their production, and assist to bear the expense of the public services. Others would urge full provincial control of the natural resources in order that they might be developed for use. Others, again, would lay emphasis upon the assimilation of the foreign-born into a broad and true Canadian citizenship. Better schools and a more general education for all classes would be advocated. Some would say tariff reform, or cheaper money, were the main essentials to a betterment of conditions; while others, again, would lay stress upon social, moral and religious issues. Some practical minds would say more branch lines of railways, better roads, and a general improvement in all means of transportation.

And to a greater or less degree all these things are necessary to the welfare, growth and prosperity of the Prairie Provinces. There can be no question about that. But at the present time there looms up a problem, the solution of which would first appear to be necessary without loss of time if many of these other questions are to be satisfactorily settled. And in some respects it is the most difficult of all our problems.

We refer to the need of solving the difficulties, we might almost say the disastrous conditions, confronting thousands of settlers by reason of the drought which has afflicted sections of the West during the last three years. So long as these conditions continue a bad eye is given to immigration to this country because the bad advertisement thus given western Canada abroad has an adverse effect on the securing of that larger population we need and must have. It affects the credit of our people, stops railway development, cripples business and imposes heavy burdens upon municipalities and governments. Something better than the provision of temporary relief to the direct sufferers must be found.

Those who are perhaps best qualified to judge, believe the only solution is to be found in a radical change in farming methods in these districts, and the substitution of other crops, in part at least, for the all grain crops which have, for the most part, been attempted in the past. It is asserted that even in these drought afflicted areas, a few farmers have been able to succeed, where the majority have failed, by reason of the fact that they followed other methods.

In the years of drought, there was not only failure of grain crops, but also of grass, with the result that there was neither food for man nor feed for stock. On the other hand, some farmers were successful even in these years of lack of moisture in raising green corn and other kinds of

feed for stock when even the grasses failed. What they succeeded in doing, their neighbors could also do. It is suggested, therefore, and wisely it would seem, that steps should be taken to bring the actual experience of these men, and the methods followed by them, to the knowledge of the people generally in the districts referred to, not by books or pamphlets, but by these men telling the story of their experiences and success to groups of farmers throughout these areas.

It is also being urged that the combined knowledge of the agricultural experts of the country should be brought to bear in an effort to solve this problem.

These experts and scientific agriculturists on experimental farms and elsewhere have evolved earlier ripening varieties of grain in order to escape the loss occasioned by frosts. Along this line they have met with splendid success, and the loss from frost, which formerly was a constant dread of the farmer, has been enormously decreased. Has the time not arrived when the energies of all these men should be turned into the channel of endeavoring to evolve a drought-resisting variety of wheat and other grains?

There are countries even more seriously affected with drought than western Canada, which, nevertheless, are succeeding agriculturally. Surely from these lands varieties of grains can be secured to be tested experimentally here.

Something must be done, and done soon, to create new conditions in the areas referred to, or else they will have to be abandoned as unfitted for agricultural settlement, with all that will mean, not only in individual loss to the people there, but to the whole country. It is impossible to go on, hoping against hope, that "next year" will yield a crop, and, in the event of disappointment reliance upon the government for food, fuel, clothing and next season's seed, and the removal of stock to greener pastures. The country has about reached the end of this unsatisfactory policy; something more permanent, more constructive, that will put new hope into men's hearts, must be forthcoming.

Predicts Rush Into Peace River Area

Oil Fields Greatest in World Says
Lieut.-Col. J. K. Cornwall

Ottawa.—The summer of 1920 promises to see the greatest rush into the Peace River country that has ever been seen into any section of Canada, is the prediction of Lieut.-Col. J. K. Cornwall, who is here conferring with government departments in connection with matters of interest to the north country. Col. Cornwall, probably the best known figure in Peace River, and a trapper and trader of 25 years' activities in the north, has been attending the fur sale at Montreal, where prices soared to a point that placed the fur industry of Peace River on a new high pedestal. "Watch the Peace River this year," said the enthusiastic Colonel, "will there be oil discovered?—I certainly expect so. As a matter of fact, my opinion is that the year 1920 will see the opening in that north country of the greatest oil fields in the world. Texas, in my view, will virtually fade away in comparison with the result that this fall and early spring the Peace River country will be in the throes of an oil stampede into the north that has had no precedent in this continent."

Flags of the New States

Are Entitled to Recognition at Sea
And in Port

The flags which have been adopted by the new states recognized by the Allies under the Peace Treaty clauses were described in a note issued by the French Minister of Marine recently. These flags are entitled to recognition both at sea and in port, and are designated as follows: Latvia, horizontal stripes of red, white and red; Estonia, blue, black, and white in horizontal stripes; Georgia, a striking flag in rich crimson, with a rectangle, half black and half white, in the upper corner; and the Hedjaz, black, green and white in horizontal stripes.

Some men have a regular Sunday morning attack of homesickness when the church bells ring.

Exchange Situation Impetus for Settlers

Americans Taking Good Advantage
Of Rate of Exchange in
Buying Farms

One of the results of the present high Canadian exchange has been made apparent during the last few weeks. Americans intending to settle in Western Canada are leaving the United States sooner than they planned and in much larger numbers than was expected. The exchange situation has proved a stimulant to American settlement in Western Canada, because the settlers find they can gain from \$1.25 to \$1 an acre in purchasing land. Many Americans who had purchased farms when exchange was normal, and had money in the banks, have taken advantage of the low quotation of Canada's money, and cleared off their deferred payments, making a large saving.

Americans of means are paying cash for their farms. With the rate of exchange as it is today, the saving on a quarter-section of land at \$35 an acre is about \$840, which is quite an item on a \$5,000 transaction, while the ready money thus put into circulation is having a beneficial effect throughout the west, both on investments and general trade.

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Protecting the Armenians

Public Will Not Tolerate Abandonment of the Armenians to Destruction

The only possible solution appears to be to make France the mandatory for Cilicia, if she will undertake the task. Cilicia used to be known as Lesser Armenia, and the remainder of its Armenian inhabitants must be protected. In the Sykes-Picot agreement Cilicia was included in the French "zone," while the Treaty of London gave France much more extensive authority in Anatolia. As for Armenia proper, it is understood that the plan is to link up the Turkish vilayets of Bitlis, Van, and Erzerum with the little Armenian republic of Erivan, in Transcaucasia. With sufficient help, such an Armenian State may be able to hold its own. The one thing the public will not tolerate is the abandonment of the Armenians to destruction. Mr. Lloyd George told the Armenian citizens of Manchester in 1918 that "those responsible for the government of this country are not unmindful of their responsibilities to your martyred race." The time has come to recall these responsibilities, incurred under the Treaty of Berlin and the Cyprus Convention, and still undischarged. Albania is threatened with obliteration, though the last word on the Albanian question is not yet said. Armenia must not share a like doom, or what becomes of our crusade for the salvation of the small nations?—From the London Times.

Unwillingness to Work

A Growing Aversion to Downturn
Hard Labor

It is clear to an observer of industrial phenomena that there is in many quarters a growing aversion to downright hard labor and a greater inclination to talk than to produce. Man has invented machinery of many sorts and some men seem to expect that machinery will lift and carry the white man's burden without the human operative to keep the wheels turning. A thoughtful writer in *Revue Bleue*, Louis Narquet, examines the philosophy of those who under the guise of true friends of humanity teach the drudge that to be a drone is the apex of human felicity. "First of all," says M. Narquet, "we should refute the fallacy that work is dishonorable." No man can be a real friend to his fellows who tries to poison their minds with the idea that it is degrading to earn one's living in the sweat of the brow.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

London's Farewell To Prince of Wales

Crowds Gathered at Buckingham Palace And Cheered Most Enthusiastically

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London, however, arranged its own farewell to the Prince, large crowds gathering at Buckingham Palace and all along the route and cheering enthusiastically as he drove alone in his private car. At Victoria also, an immense concourse of people broke through the barriers just before the train started, and was only brought to a halt by the men in the King's Circle some 30 yards from the royal party.

The Prince at once stepped forward and standing alone in the roadway, saluted the surging crowd. The people cheered in reply with great enthusiasm and the train finally drew out amid the roar of their farewell.

A "Brainy" Lizard Discovered
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Australia And Canada

Australians and Canadians Met And Defeated 86 German Divisions

Sir John Monash, in the concluding instalment of his review of Australian victories in France in 1918, quotes figures which indicate the value of the splendid work done by the Australian Corps while under his command. These figures are interesting when compared with similar figures mentioned by Sir Arthur Currie.

In proportion to its population, the number of men put into the field by Australia, and their achievement in every theatre of war in which they were engaged, reflects the very highest credit on the patriotism of that Dominion and on the ardor and bravery of the men. It is also to be remembered that the Australian force was an entirely voluntary one. There was, therefore, much greater difficulty in supplying reinforcements than in the case of Canada, which adopted conscription. The latest figures published show that Canada employed 640,886 men in the war, against Australia's 416,809. The total casualties were greater among the Australians, the ill-starred Gallipoli expedition, where so many of Australia's best manhood sacrificed themselves in vain being mainly accountable for this.

According to General Monash, the actual number of separate enemy divisions engaged by the Australian Corps was 39. Many of these divisions were engaged more than once. This was between the dates March 27 and October 5, 1918, when the Australians were withdrawn from the line. The Canadians, it will be remembered, were held in reserve, and were not put into the line for some months after the Australians. Sir Arthur Currie reported that, between August 8 and October 11, 47 German divisions were engaged and defeated by the Canadian Corps, and he claims to have liberated 228 cities, towns and villages and over 500 square miles of territory. Thus, the Australians and Canadians between them met and defeated 86 German divisions, which constituted a substantial moiety of the German forces opposed to us.—From Canada, London.

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Canadian Flax Trade Growing

Proposed to Encourage the Establishment of Spinning Mills in Canada

At a meeting of the Canadian Flax-Growers' Association, held in London Ontario, recently, the members discussed a plan to extend the organization. It was pointed out that the acreage under flax has been more than doubled since the start of the war, and the quality of the Canadian seed and fiber demonstrated not only in Ireland, but all over the world. In view of this it is proposed to encourage the establishment of spinning mills in Canada on a large scale; also to bring experienced weavers to Canada from Ireland and start the industry on a sound basis. The final decision on this matter was left over until the June meeting. Several growers are in favor of having the flax seed graded. They will ask the Dominion government to impose such restrictions on the sale of flax that the quality of all Canadian seed put on the world market will be the best possible.

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Though many disagree with the view held by Sir Oliver Lodge as to the life to come, few will challenge his right to be numbered among the select few who have changed radically the views educated men hold as to the physical side of the universe. Anything he cares to say as to electronics, matter, the ether, is worthy of attention, and must furnish food for reflection. A few days since, in the course of a lecture to an audience which filled the spacious Carnegie Hall in New York, he said, rapping a small wooden table: "This appears to be solid," and waving his arm in the air, "this appears to be empty; it is exactly opposite. You may not believe it, but it is true."

Such men as Soddy, Rutherford, John Cox, Thomson, and many other physicists tell us that our senses, calculated but to serve certain vital uses, deceive us in everything which does not touch on the daily needs of corporeal existence. They speak with certainty on the electrical basis of matter; tell of a mysterious ether, which permeating all, is yet imperceptible to our senses; they show that our notions of such things as heat, light and sound are founded on hypothesis that are fundamentally false and hence misleading, until the layman finds his head reeling and his confidence in the knowledge he had acquired as a lad slipping away.

The discovery of radium has strengthened the standing of geology, because it permits of a vastly extended time-scale. The earth is no longer regarded as a world gradually growing cooler. It has in its known store of radium a source of heat which will last, not for a mere million years, but probably for tens of thousands of million years. It is possible that the real danger to the planet will come from too high an internal temperature, rather than from one too low. In other words, the world is more likely to finish in explosion than as a dry, frozen body, as our forefathers believed. But as such a catastrophe is not hardly possible sooner than in about a million years this need not cause any particular uneasiness to the present earth folk.

The subject is much too vast for more than mention, and those who are sufficiently interested should read what has been written on it by the men of science named in the foregoing—there is quite a voluminous literature to be consulted. But, very recently, another surprise has been sprung, quite as significant as any previous theory of the ether, electrons and matter, and of this there is as yet little to be learned from books, it being the last-born of science.—Winnipeg Free Press.

Completing Hudson Bay Line

The Winnipeg board of trade has been notified by the federal government that it will cost 4,000,000 to complete the Hudson Bay Railway. Up to the present, 332 miles of the line have been built and about 90 miles of track are still required to bring the road to its ocean terminus at Port Nelson. The Dominion government is not yet in a position to say how much money it will be able to devote to the Bay line this year. The West is pressing for completion.

The First Coal Fire

112 Year Ago Judge Jesse Fell Lighted First Fire of Coal

In Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, part of the old house still stands, and inside it the iron grate in which 112 years ago this last February Judge Jesse Fell lighted the first fire of coal. And from this first burning of coal in a grate, says the Philadelphia North American, the use of what was then called "black rock" has increased until now some 90,000,000 tons of it are yearly produced and sold for some \$700,000,000. The anniversary of that first fire grate was celebrated the other day in Wilkes-Barre, where, in fact, the "Old Fell House" and its pioneer grate are regarded as historical possessions that the city may well be proud of. The part of the house still standing is also said to be the oldest building in the Wyoming Valley, a substantial dwelling when the Judge purchased it in December, 1787, 11 years before he tried his successful experiment with the new fuel.

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Alberta's Minerals

Collection of Specimens to be Displayed in Great Britain

To show the people over in England what Alberta can produce in the way of mineral wealth, a collection of specimens from all parts of the province have been sent to London, where it will be displayed as a permanent exhibit in the Canadian Immigration Offices. A request for such a collection was made some time ago by Col. Obed Smith, the immigration agent in London, and the Alberta Industrial Association undertook to get it together.

The New North naturally has a large place in the collection. The display will include samples of high grade bituminous sand and tar sands from the Athabasca country, silica sand after the extraction of bitumen, tarry oil from a well drilled on the Athabasca river, crude oil from the Peace River district, crude petroleum from Great Slave Lake, salt from the springs on Salt River, and gypsum from Peace River.

Sleeping Bags

An interesting statement was made recently by John L. Cope, the Antarctic explorer, regarding sleeping bags.

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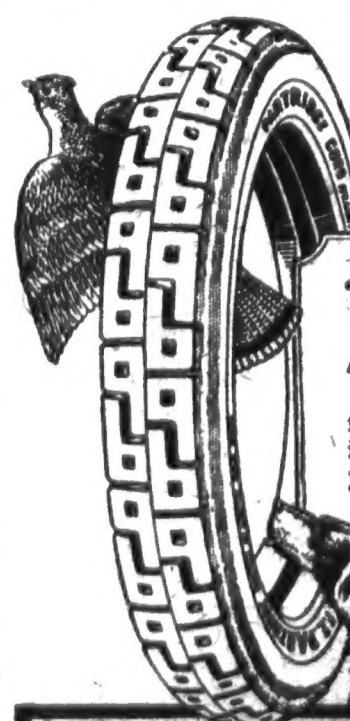
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Important Meeting Of League Will Be Held in Rome

Washington.—A full and important program will confront the council of the League of Nations, when it assembles in Rome, April 29. Included in the matters scheduled to be discussed, it was learned, are such questions as the approval of the temporary organization, already affected and of the secretariat of the league; the method of financing that body, and its accounting; regulations of admission of new states; repatriation of German and Austrian prisoners of war now in Siberia; traffic in women and children; disposition of the work of the Washington labor conference, adoption of rules and procedure and finally the work of the commission which is to draw plans for the organization of the international supreme court.

The organizing committee of the court has been at work and has noted acceptances from Lord Phillimore, of England; Baron Descamps, of Belgium; Mr. Loder and Mr. Vesnitch, of Jugoslavia; as well as from Elihu Root for America.

Following the Rome conference, the council will assemble in Brussels to deal with international finances, including exchange and other economic matters. The United States has been invited to participate, but has declined.

Only Rumors That Wheat Is Hauled to U.S.

Acting Premier Declares Government Cannot Act Without Proper Confirmation

Ottawa.—Answering Rhos. MacNutt, Saltcoats, in the commons, Sir George Foster stated that the government had heard that some farmers were shipping their wheat to points near the United States boundary and then hauling it in wagons across the line to secure higher prices. However, neither the government nor the wheat board had heard any more than rumors of such action and therefore could not hold these farmers to account for anything they had received above the board's fixed prices for wheat. The holders of participation certificates, Mr. MacNutt was informed, would not receive any allowance to compensate them for the reduction in value of such certificates by reason of reduced prices for feed wheat, allowed on compassionate grounds to farmers in dried-out areas.

May Buy Seed Wheat

Winnipeg.—An extension has been granted by the Canadian wheat board to farmers in the province of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta whereby they can purchase their seed wheat on the \$2.45 per bushel basis. No. 1 Manitoba northern wheat in store at public terminal elevators, Fort William and Port Arthur until April 15, 1920.

Plot to Murder Carson

Montreal.—The Montreal Star publishes the following cable from London:

"During the debate on the Irish Home Rule bill, Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster leader, said he had been warned by Scotland Yard that Clann-na-Gael members had landed from the United States with the avowed intention of assassinating him."

U.S. Censored For Interference In Irish Question

London.—The United States was handled without gloves by Premier Lloyd George and Sir Edward Carson the Ulster leader, in the debate in the house of commons on the second reading of the Irish bill. The premier said it was action such as that taken by the United States senate in adopting the Irish resolution that had fostered secession.

"De Valera is putting forth the same views in the same words that Jefferson Davis used," the premier declared, and added that such a movement has led to civil war.

"We are doing nothing more than the United States claimed for themselves," he continued, "and will stand no less."

Sir Edward Carson, in opening the debate, said he believed that the Irish murders were committed, "not by my countrymen but by ill-conditioned Americans, misled by Sinn Fein propaganda, which," he exclaimed, pointing to the government, "you are doing nothing to counteract."

"Do you suppose that if I worked against the bill and it was killed and the 1914 act becomes effective, I could call upon my followers to get their rifles to maintain our position in the Ulster counties, when this bill gives us the right to control these

Premier Will Help With Irish Question

But Government Will Not Be Intimidated by "Ruthless and Cruel Campaign"

Dublin.—The premier, in a letter to the Lord Mayor of Dublin, expressed the belief that the terrorist campaign is prompted largely by a desire to prevent the settlement of the Irish question by reason and goodwill, which he believes the only means for attaining unity and conciliation.

He declares that the government will not be deflected from what it believes the only course consistent with reason and common sense, by a ruthless and cruel campaign of assassination, but he says he is anxious to make as easy as possible the task of those endeavoring to carry on the administration of the country on reasonable lines, and if there are any means, by which moderate men can be helped or encouraged to withstand or oppose the present campaign of intimidation so as to bring nearer a settlement of the Irish question, "I will gladly co-operate in bringing them into effect."

Cleveland to Chicago in Two Hours

Cleveland.—The speed record for mail by the air line between Cleveland and Chicago was broken today when Pilot James H. Knight covered the 340 miles to this city in two hours and ten minutes, an average speed of 157 miles an hour. The previous record two hours and twelve minutes, was also held by Knight, made several weeks ago.

Threaten Strike in Germany

Labor Unions of Essen Will Call A General Strike Unless All Demands Granted

Rotterdam.—A despatch to the Rotterdam Courant from Essen says the representatives of the labor unions and of the three Socialist parties have issued an ultimatum to the government threatening a general strike in all Germany unless their demands are granted.

The demands are: First, binding the government to recognition of the resolutions passed at Bielefeld; second, abolition of military measures contrary to the resolutions; and third, the recall of Gen. Von Watten and granting forty-eight hours in which to carry out the Bielefeld armistice terms.

Shorter Hours for Nurses

Winnipeg.—An eight-hour day, 56 hour week, has been instituted for the nurses in training at the General hospital. This is the first of the reforms in the training school, and will later if possible, include an afternoon a week off. There is a shortage of applicants for training for nurses, and those in charge are planning to make conditions of training more attractive as a step in the campaign for students.

Indians in Canada

Ottawa.—Lucien Cannon, Dorchester, was informed that there are 105,998 Indians in Canada; there are 1,625 reserves, and a grand total of 36,101 buildings on these reserves.

Urges Completion Of Hudson Bay Road

Minister of Railways Promised Western Members That Matter Would Be Discussed

Ottawa.—Arguing that if the government could set aside \$5,000,000 for the construction of the Welland Canal, it can at least set aside \$2,000,000 for the completion of the Hudson Bay Railway, a score or more of western members held a conference with Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of railways, and Hon. A. L. Sifton, secretary of state. While little hope was held out that the wish of the delegation would be met this year, the minister of railways and canals promised to bring the matter up in the house for a full and frank discussion on the relative merits of both propositions named. The deputations again urged that the Hudson Bay road was a national project and should be treated entirely as such.

In reply to an argument by the minister that the Welland Canal was deteriorating because of non-completion, the delegates pointed out that exactly the same argument applied to their project. It was also pointed out that \$777,000 had been set aside for the Trent Canal scheme, which project the delegation classed as merely a "pleasure ditch."

Going back to the Welland Canal argument, it was contended that this scheme would not be of any real use until the St. Lawrence canal scheme was finished, and as yet it had not got past the survey stage.

Holland Retains Ex-Kaiser

Reply With Regard to Former German Emperor Agreed to By Allies

London.—The allied powers have accepted Holland's last note regarding the former German emperor, according to an Amsterdam despatch to the Daily Mail.

The Dutch government on March 5 for the second time refused to deliver the former German emperor to the allies for trial. This determination was set forth in a note to the British premier, who, however, declared the Dutch government would take all necessary measures to minimize the liberty of Wilhelm and prevent him from endangering the peace of the world.

The communication stated that precautions to this end would be taken "on the spot." It was assumed that this meant a close guard over the former emperor and a strict censorship would be instituted while Wilhelm occupied his estate at Doorn.

Branch Line Construction

Proposed Extension as Announced by Minister of Railways

Ottawa.—The Swift Current, Saskatoon, Melfort and Humboldt districts will be especially favored in the branch line construction to be undertaken, according to the minister of railways. The principal items of track laying will be from Eston southeast, 35 miles; Humboldt-Melfort, 32 miles; Melfort-northeast, 32 miles; Peace River line, 32 1/2 miles; Swift Current line, 18 1/2 miles, and Jackfish Lake branch, 27 miles in British Columbia. It is proposed to grade 40.4 miles to complete the Okanagan branch. In all 350 miles of track is to be laid and 123 miles of line is to be graded.

Turks Revolt Against Allies

Paris.—The breaking out of a revolution all over Turkey, except in Constantinople, directed against the allies, is reported by the Pester Lloyd of Budapest, according to a despatch from Basle to the Fournier agency here.

A despatch from Athens to the Temps, Paris, stated that the Greeks are taking steps toward the occupation of Adrianople and eastern Thrace.

Bolsheviki Lose Heavily

Warsaw.—Russian Bolshevik forces which have been attacking the Polish front in Poland, have suffered severe losses, and at points have had to withdraw to the eastward, says an official statement issued at army headquarters. Polish troops have pursued the enemy, and have re-taken territory which was lost in the savage fighting of last week, it is said.

Lord French Good General

London.—The Freeman's Journal, in an article, advances the belief that Field Marshal Viscount French is to resign his post as lord lieutenant of Ireland and that he will be succeeded by Lord Decies.

The newspaper says Viscount French will probably go to Canada as governor-general.

Japs Fight Russians

San Francisco.—Fighting between Japanese and Russians in Nikolaevsk was reported in cablegram from Tokyo received by a Japanese newspaper here. The message said the Japanese consulate in Nikolaevsk has been burned and that Japanese consul Ishiba was missing.

Mayor of Cork

Cork.—At a special meeting of the Cork corporation Alderman MacSweeney was elected Lord Mayor. He is a Sinn Fein leader and several times has been deported or imprisoned.

For Widows And Orphans

Hon. Mr. Sifton Declares the Patriotic Fund Has Taken Care Of Them

Ottawa.—H. A. Mackie, of Edmonton, asked in the house if widows with children or orphans received any share of the \$40,000,000 voted by parliament last session.

Hon. Mr. Sifton: "Widows with children or orphans are assisted by the Canadian Patriotic Fund, when they are ineligible for a federal pension and when the man has been service overseas. Under certain conditions assistance is sometimes rendered to widows even if they are in receipt of federal pensions."

Mr. Mackie: "Do widows receive as much assistance as if the father had returned?"

Mr. Sifton: "It is impossible to say if widows receive as much assistance as if the father had returned as there is no way of telling the amount he would have been able to provide in that event."

Settlement of Palestine

Jews and Arabs to Co-operate in Restoration of the Holy Land

New York.—Speedy settlement of political difficulties in Palestine by co-operation of Jews and Arabs in restoration of the Holy Land is expected as the result of the Palestine Jewry's request for Arab aid, according to an announcement here by the Zionist organization of America. The organization received a despatch from the Zionist commission in Palestine stating that Vaad Hasmanita, the representative body of Palestine Jewry, had issued a manifesto to the Arabs explaining that Zionist aspirations in the Holy Land "will not exploit or injure the Arabic population. But will prove of mutual benefit to all," and asking their co-operation.

Price of Flour May Advance

Action of Wheat Board in Continuing Restriction Is Said to Be The Reason

Ottawa.—A material advance in the price of flour is indicated in an announcement made here on behalf of Canadian millers by George A. McDonald, representing the Quaker Oats Company and head of a delegation of representative millers which waited on the government to discuss the serious situation which Canadian mills are facing as a result of the action of the Canadian wheat board in continuing the restriction in the price of flour on the Canadian market, and the lack of export markets for Canadian flour.

The increase will be necessary to meet the increased cost of manufacture. The scarcity of mill feeds in Canada is directly traceable to the lack of a market for flour and to consequent decrease in the volume of domestic milling, the millers stated. They have asked the government to modify the regulations of the wheat board and to co-operate with the millers in inducing foreign buyers to take a reasonable proportion of Canadian wheat as flour rather than as wheat.

Vast quantities of flour are said to be available in the United States for export and this complicates the Canadian problem.

It is said that more than 4,000 men already have been thrown out of employment by the forced closing down of some of the mills of which there are about 500 in Canada.

Britain Paying Her Way

New York Banking Expert Reports On Visit to Europe

New York.—Seward Prosser, president of the Bankers' Trust Company, who has just returned from abroad, declared that England is "now just about paying her way in international trade," in the "most extraordinary way."

He added that it was hoped no further permanent loans would be necessary. The banker said, however, that "the story in France is quite a different one," as "France's burden in the war was larger than any other nation and the demoralization which naturally followed it was greater."

Will Distribute Canadian Guns

Ottawa.—The guns which are being landed at Halifax will be distributed to the active militia all over Canada, said General Ashton, adjutant-general at militia headquarters of Canada. Canada sent her artillery over during the war and it is now returned. It is required to equip artillery units throughout the Dominion.

Lebanon Declares Independence

Washington.—Lebanon, in Asiatic Turkey, has declared its independence of Prince Feisal's government, the state department was advised by the United States consulate at Beirut. A flag similar to the French tricolor, but with the Cedar prominently displayed was chosen and a constitution is being drawn up.

Japanese Start On Battleship

Tokio.—Construction has been started on the battleship Tosa, which will be the largest of its kind in the Japanese navy. She is 700 feet long and will carry 10 16-inch guns. She will be launched in 1922.

Sinn Feiners Deny Killing of Mayor

Much Indignation Is Expressed by the Leaders in Cork and Dublin

London.—The statement that lord mayor MacCurtain was murdered after his expulsion from the Irish Republican Brotherhood, according to the Dublin correspondent of the London Times, is denounced with indignation by Sinn Feiners in Cork and Dublin, and indeed by the whole Nationalist press. The Freeman's Journal says that the story was invented in order to throw the public off the trail and repeats its conviction that the lord mayor was murdered by men who believed they were thus helping the British cause in Ireland. Professor Stockley, of Cork, against whose life a recent attempt was made, declared that he never attended a meeting of any private society with the lord mayor and that he knew nothing of the membership of the brotherhood. Arthur Griffith, acting head of the Sinn Fein, describes the report as an infamous falsehood. He asks the public to wait until the inquest is ended and says their patience will be rewarded.

The Crown has taken no action on the report, but the concluding stages of the inquest are being followed by the public with extreme interest.

Holland Will Be Responsible

Correspondence With Allies Regarding Ex-Kaiser Is To Be Made Public

The Hague.—The Dutch government plans the publication of an Orange book, embodying all the correspondence on the question of the former German emperor and including the allied reply to Holland's second refusal to hand Wilhelm over to the Entente powers for trial. This reply, which was delivered to the premier at The Hague, by the British and French ministers Tuesday, serves to put an end to the correspondence. Although there is no official intimation of the text, it is learned that there has been acceptance of Holland's refusal to deliver the former emperor, but renewal of the warning that Holland will be held responsible for any damage to the world's peace which Wilhelm does.

Fast Time Again

Confusion Said to Result From Adoption of Summer Time

Toronto.—There is considerable confusion in Canadian border cities and towns, and generally throughout Canada in industries having direct United States connections, following daylight saving time being inaugurated in New York and other border states. The mix-up will probably continue, more or less, during the month of April.

On May 2, the cities of Montreal, Toronto and Ottawa will adopt the daylight saving time locally. Niagara Falls, Ont., and other frontier points are running on the new time already. It is not expected that the federal or any of the provincial governments of Canada will take up daylight saving this year as a Dominion or provincial measure. The railways have so far made no definite move in the matter.

To Help Convicted Men

Winnipeg Labor Men to Discuss Means of Releasing Strike Leaders

Winnipeg.—More than 700 delegates, representing Winnipeg labor organizations, will meet April 11 to discuss ways and means to effect the release of convicted strike leaders, James Law, secretary of the defence committee, announced.

It is possible that representations of labor organizations from other cities and towns, both east and west, will attend the convention, Mr. Law said. Many enquiries have been received from outside points as to what the committee intends to do.

The defence committee are now caring for the dependents of the convicted leaders. These dependents total 29.

Signals From Mars

Paris.—Belief that the strange signals picked up by wireless stations recently came from the planet Mars, is expressed by Camille Flammarion, the famous astronomer. He thinks inter-stellar communication may yet become a realized fact, but he is inclined to believe it will be accomplished by the use of some magnetic force which is not as yet developed.

Turks Destroy Railway Bridge

Constantinople.—The Nationalists have destroyed an important railway bridge at Bilejik, on the line between Constantinople and Aleppo. The British are now restoring it. The destruction of the bridge isolated a small detachment of Punjab, but it is expected they will come out safely in a few days.

Big Increase in Customs

Ottawa.—An increase of more than \$10,000,000 in customs revenues over last year is reported by J. H. Bertram, collector of customs for this city, in his report covering the year just ended.

Colonization Plan For the West Is Approved

Extravagance At Peace Conference

British Commissioner of Works Is Sharply Questioned on Expenses in Paris

London.—Charges that the government has indulged in recklessness and extravagance at the peace conference in Paris has been made in connection with its bill of £503,388 for the expenses of the British delegation.

When the bill was presented in the house of commons recently, Sir Alfred Mond, the first commissioner of works, was sharply questioned as to whether his bill for hotels in Paris covered the cost of champagne, food and dances. He replied that his department was not responsible for the payment of bills for food and clothing for typists, dancers or bands.

One member of the house indignantly declared that it would have been better for the British delegates to have gone to bed to think over the peace conference instead of indulging in such relaxation, but if they had to have recreation, they ought to pay for it out of their own pockets.

Captain Wilson accused the government of having maintained huge staffs in Paris hotels. The government representative admitted that the British had five hotels and three other premises, while the Americans had only one hotel, but, he added, the Americans spent more money. The house indulged in ironic cheers when Sir Alfred Mond said the government "did the thing well."

The total staff of the British delegation numbered 524.

Cost of Hudson Bay Road

Over Three Hundred Miles of Steel Have Been Laid On The Line

Ottawa.—In reply to Mr. Campbell in the house, the minister of railways said that 322 miles of steel had been laid on the Hudson Bay Railway. There were 92 miles still to be laid. The total expenditures of the railway at the end of the last fiscal year was \$13,890,387 and on the terminals \$6,344,499.

The estimated cost of completing the track-laying into Port Nelson was \$1,750,000, but to complete the railway would require \$4,000,000.

Germany Will Behave

Promises France to Live Up to Terms Of Treaty in Regard to Ruhr District

Paris.—Assurances have been given by the German government that it will not send into the Ruhr valley more regular troops than are allowed and declared no more such troops would be sent there without authorization from the allies.

Receiving members of the French press, M. Millerand declared that if the Germans violated the terms of the treaty by sending a strong armed force into the Ruhr district, France would occupy part of the neutral zone whether the allies agreed or not.

French Loan to Be Floated in Canada

Paris.—The Municipal Council today voted to float a loan of \$20,000,000 in Canada, repayable in ten years. The proceeds will be used to purchase merchandise in Canada.

Will Declare State of War To Be at End

Washington.—Peace with Germany by adoption of a joint resolution declaring the war at an end, was put squarely before congress by representatives in control of the house. Framed by Republican members of the foreign affairs committee and by party leaders, the measure was thrown in the hopper with as little ceremony as if it had been a bridge bill, but instantly there developed a demand for speedy action. A move to jam it through the house took shape, but Democrats, outspoken in their opposition, finally obtained an agreement to postpone consideration.

While trying to work a resolution calculated to suit all factions of their party, Republican committee men had arranged to call it up immediately. The resolution introduced by chairman Foster, of the foreign affairs committee, pressed for termination of a state of war as soon as it becomes effective. It provides also for reciprocal trading with Germany under certain reservations and for a repeal of the president's war powers. Germany would be allowed 45 days to notify the president that it has declared a termination of war and waived all claims against the United States, "that it would not have had the right to assert had the United States ratified the Treaty of Versailles."

Upon Germany's failure to send such notification, trading, or the making of loans or credits would be prohibited except with the license of the president.

Republican members of the foreign affairs committee, to which the resolution was referred without comment, worked in conference for more than five hours before they mapped out a measure designed to overcome all party objections. The committee is expected to report it to the house. After chairman Campbell, of the rules committee, had announced that the resolution would be taken up immediately, with four hours set aside for debate, Democrats objected and asked for more time in which to study and digest the full text.

This resulted in a hasty conference between Republican steering committee and minority leaders, it finally being agreed to defer consideration for a few days.

Calgary.—Representatives of the leading financial men of western Canada and others attended the opening session of the two days' convention of the Western Canada Colonization association, held in the Palitzer hotel, when it was resolved to endorse the tentative and general plan outlined by Mayor M. A. Brown, of Medicine Hat, which includes a million and a half dollar scheme for the settlement of western lands.

It was with much sobriety of thought that the various speakers approached this ambitious scheme. At the opening session, outside of the point of actually forming such an association being definitely decided, the various details were not entered upon. These will engage the attention of the convention later.

The morning was chiefly taken up by an extensive review of the suggested formation of such an association by Mayor Brown. "It is unnecessary to argue," he said, "that the business men of Western Canada should not interest themselves in the question of colonization. If we are going to develop western Canada we must develop our great agricultural industry, and business men must be vitally concerned and help to develop it in co-operation with the government of the country."

Mr. Brown went on to relate that they could not depend entirely upon governments to carry on the great enterprise they had in hand. "We have," he said, "twenty million acres of vacant land in the west within reasonable distance of the railways which are owned by private concerns." The scheme that was proposed, he said, had met with the hearty approval of the C.P.R., the Hudson's Bay Co. and others.

The urgency of such an association was pointed out by the mayor, who said that within the past ten years according to the official reports of the United States, Canada has lost some 200,000 people who had left the Dominion to settle on land to the other side of the line, while the official reports of Canada indicated that only 1,300,000 people had come here from the United States during the past 20 years.

There were various reasons why such an association should be formed, he continued. First, because the government could not cope with the situation and the minister of colonization had admitted that land owned by private individuals could not be utilized.

Canada, he said, needed more population to pay for their national responsibilities and the only way to do this was to develop the natural resources of the country. If they could increase the population of western Canada, every business man of the west would profit thereby.

Grand Duchesse Olga to Reside In Denmark

Constantinople.—The Grand Duchesse Olga of Russia, sister of former Emperor Nicholas of Russia has left for Serbia, en route to Denmark, where she will reside permanently. She still firmly believes her brother and his family are alive.

Hoover for President

San Francisco.—Herbert Hoover has telegraphed to the Hoover Republican club of California that he would accept the Republican nomination for President "if it is felt that the issues necessitate it and it is demanded of me."

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PREPARE NOW FOR THE VOTE ON LIQUOR TRAFFIC

In a few weeks the people of Alberta will be asked to express their wishes on the question of prohibition. They will be asked to say whether they wish to continue the undesirable kind of prohibition we now have, or to have enforced the kind of prohibition they voted so overwhelmingly in favor of some years ago. The government at Edmonton has threatened out the question in the house for the past two months, and has come to the conclusion that prohibition, with inter-provincial liquor traffic allowed is no good; in fact is worse than no prohibition measure. Premier Stewart has also gone on record as being in favor of enforcing real prohibition if the people declare by their vote in the coming referendum that they want it. And the electors can rest assured that Premier Stewart means just what he says.

There is not the slightest doubt in our mind as to the result of the coming vote. The people of Alberta have not been quite satisfied with the working of the Act so far, but while it has not completely done away with the liquor traffic, it has to a great extent kept the liquor out of the province, and saved our people millions of dollars besides untold woes. You do not have to go far from home to see the effects of even such prohibition as we have had—prohibition which very little effort has been made to enforce by the authorities. Hardly a

home in Alberta has not benefited by the passing of the prohibition act, and we are sure that every businessman in Alberta is in favor of a stronger enforcement of prohibition. With inter-provincial traffic made illegal, the authorities will be forced to take action, and then we will have prohibition such as the people voted for a few years ago, but which the authorities, taking advantage of the technicalities, destroyed to an extent its purpose.

You will hear some people say that they never intended to have total prohibition when they voted in favor of liquor act. These people are just quibbling. They know that it was prohibition they voted for, and the question of inter-provincial traffic was not thought of until brought up by the liquor interests after the act was voted on and overwhelmingly carried. The electors of Alberta can "Come Back" however, and when the referendum is taken in a few weeks from now, we will see the greatest vote rolled up for prohibition that has ever been cast in Canada. Alberta wants REAL PROHIBITION, and now that the chance is to be given to get it, it is an assured fact.

In the meantime the overwhelming majority of electors who are in favor of putting the liquor traffic out of business, should get busy, and not let the few who wish to have the business flourish, and bring back the old conditions, take advantage of any apathy and win the day.

Local Items

An act is now in force in Alberta, that requires all persons other than British subjects to procure a permit from a justice of the peace to have in their possession fire-arms of any kind. This includes guns, rifles and revolvers, and the police have been instructed to have the law enforced. To save trouble all parties interested should at once apply to their nearest justice of the peace and procure a permit.

Feed buyers from all parts of the Province have invaded Lacombe during the past week, looking for hay and straw. The feed situation in many parts of Alberta is most serious just now, and heavy losses among the herds is looked for. Locally there is enough feed to carry our stock through, but the Lacombe district appears to be especially favored in this case.

The Lyness family have sold out the Lacombe Cafe, and have gone to Saskatoon. They wish to state that they have settled all outstanding accounts, that they have a list of, and any accounts that have been overlooked should be presented to the new proprietor, who will see that they are settled to the extent of his interest in the matter.

The California tourists from this locality are returning every day, and they all tell the same tale. Alberta has that country beaten in everything but warm weather in winter. Prices

down in California are out of sight, and they are glad to get back to Alberta.

Mrs. John Rathje and family wish to thank their friends for the assistance extended to them during the illness and since the death of their husband and father.

Henderson's Aberdeen Angus cattle cleaned up most of the prizes in their class at the recent stock shows in the cities. They had the best exhibit in the ring, and realized good prices on the animals they sold.

Mike Madden this week purchased a couple of hundred acres of oat stocks from Wm. Gilbert of Clive, and is now loading same on cars and shipping the feed to parts of Alberta where feed is scarce. He paid \$55.00 per acre for the feed in the field.

The old buildings have been removed from the site of A. M. Campbell's new store building on the avenue, and work of excavating will commence this week. W. McDermott has the contract for excavating, and lumber will be supplied by the Imperial Lumber Co.

The next meeting of the Milton Union U.F.A. will be held in Milton Schoolhouse on Wednesday evening, April 14th at 8 p.m. Good turnout is requested.

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Friday, April 9th

Commencing at 11 o'clock.

80 Head Cattle 38 Head Horses

Hogs, Chickens, Big Line of Machinery and complete outfit of household goods.

Watch for the bills and try to attend this sale as it is a big one. This is the chance of the season to buy what you want.

LUNCH AT NOON

G. DELMORTER

Owner

J. R. WHITNEY - Auctioneer

AUCTION SALE

AT DAGG'S BARN IN LACOMBE ON

Saturday, April 10th

HORSES and CATTLE

Complete line of Machinery. All kinds of household goods. Sale starts at 1:30. I expect a regular monthly auction sale system in Lacombe and if you have any farm or city commodities to sell, call and see me.

J. R. WHITNEY, Auctioneer

Office with Bunnell Bros.

In the Matter of "The Railway Act" and in the Matter of the Right-of-Way of Lacombe and North Western Railway Company Through A Fractional Portion of the North-East Quarter of Section Twenty-Three Township Forty (40), Range Twenty-Eight (28), West of the Fourth Meridian

To Harry Henry Fry, Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

Take notice that Lacombe and North-Western Railway Company requires for the purpose of its railway all your estate and interest in the lands hereinafter described, namely: All and singular the land required for right-of-way being thirty-three (33) feet perpendicularly distant on each side of the centre line of said right-of-way of said Lacombe and North-Western Railway, as said centre line is shown upon the location map or plan of the said right-of-way in the Land Titles Office for the North Alberta Land Registration District as Plan No. 2226 C.P. containing 1.15 acres more or less, through that portion of the North-East Quarter of Section twenty-three (23), Township forty (40), Range twenty-eight (28), West of the Fourth Meridian, described in duplicate certificate of title 30 T 16.

AND TAKE NOTICE that the authority intended to be exercised with regard to the said land required for right-of-way as aforesaid, is the taking of all outstanding interest in the same permanently in fee simple for the purpose of construction, maintenance and operation of the said Railway Company's railway, the said interests consisting of the fee simple to the said lands required for right-of-way as aforesaid.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the Lacombe and North-Western Railway Company is ready and willing and does hereby offer to pay the sum of \$30.00 per acre as compensation for all outstanding interest in the said lands required for right-of-way as aforesaid, and for any damages caused to you by the exercise of the said Company's powers or authority.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that if you do not accept the said offer the said Railway Company appoints Oluf Inkster of Edmonton, Alberta Land Surveyor as its arbitrator.

DATED at Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 22nd day of March, A.D. 1926.

Lacombe and North-Western Railway Company, by its solicitor, J. BOYD McBRIDE, of Short, Cross, Maclean and McBride Merchants Bank Building, Edmonton, Alberta. M24-3c

Housekeeper Wanted
Housekeeper wanted at once on farm, to look after family of children. Will pay highest wages to competent woman. Apply D. Pyper, R. 1 Clive, Alberta. M31-3p

Estay
One dark brown gelding rising 3 years old, star in forehead, white hind foot, branded YT with quarter circle under on left stifle. Finder notify, Chas. E. Hankins, Bentley, 17-5p.

PLOWING
Contracts wanted for plowing or disking from 60 to 200 acres. For further arrangements, write, August Genger, Clive Alberta.